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This 1984 edition of the Missouri Crime and Arrest Digest represents the fourth annual publication in this series. The Digest has become a very popular and widely distributed publication in Missouri. Many State and local criminal justice agencies look forward to each edition as a basis for updating their own plans and programs.

I hope you will find this recent edition useful and encourage you to forward any comments or suggestions on this publication directly to me. Furthermore, if you have a need for other types of research in the area of criminal justice, contact the Missouri Statistical Analysis Center staff directly.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this Digest is to provide criminal justice authorities and other interested parties with summary data on crime and law enforcement activity in the State of Missouri.

The Digest is produced annually by the Missouri Statistical Analysis Center (SAC). The primary source of data for the Digest is the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Uniform Crime Reporting System (UCR). Although this publication contains Missouri crime and arrest activity from 1975 through 1984, emphasis is placed on data reported in the most recent year (1984).

The Crime Index is the sum of eight major offenses and is used to measure the magnitude of crime in the United States. The major offenses are included in the index because of their frequency of occurrence and the fact that they are most likely to be reported to law enforcement agencies. These eight offenses are: murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson. The first four make up the Violent Crime Index and the last four make up the Property Crime Index. The following is a brief description of Missouri's 1984 crime and arrest activity associated with these types of criminal offenses.

In 1984, a total of 204,036 Crime Index offenses were reported in the State of Missouri. This was an 4.7 percent reduction compared to 1983. In 1984, one Index Crime was committed every 2.6 minutes. In 21.6 of every 100 Crime Index offenses, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

Violent offenses made up 10.8 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. There were 22,027 Violent Index offenses reported in 1984, a decrease of 3.7 percent compared to 1983. A violent offense was committed in Missouri every 23.9 minutes. In 50.6 of every 100 Violent Index offenses, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means. A brief analysis of each type of Violent Index offense is given below.

- There were 333 murders reported in 1984, a decrease of 12.1 percent compared to 1983. While murder is the most serious Index offense, it made up only 0.2 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One murder was committed in the State every 1.1 days. In 76.1 of every

100 murders, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 1,243 forcible rapes reported in 1984, a decrease of 1.8 percent compared to 1983. Forcible rape accounted for 0.6 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One forcible rape was reported committed every 7.1 hours. In 54.1 of every 100 forcible rapes, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 6,921 robberies reported in 1984, a decrease of 15.8 percent compared to 1983. Robbery accounted for 3.4 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One robbery occurred every 1.3 hours. In 28.5 of every 100 robberies, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 13,530 aggravated assaults reported in 1984, an increase of 3.9 percent compared to 1983. Aggravated assault accounted for 6.6 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One aggravated assault occurred every 39.0 minutes. In 61.0 of every 100 aggravated assaults, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

Property offenses made up 89.2 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. There were 182,009 Property Index offenses reported in 1984, a decrease of 4.8 percent compared to 1983. It is estimated that property offenses accounted for $179,078,672 in property stolen or destroyed. One such offense occurred every 2.9 minutes in the State. In 18.0 of every 100 Property Index offenses, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means. A brief analysis of each type of Property Index offense is given below.

- There were 51,825 burglaries reported in 1984, a decrease of 7.8 percent compared to 1983. Burglary accounted for 25.4 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One burglary occurred every 10.2 minutes and it is estimated that $41,478,138 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense. In 15.8 of every 100 burglaries, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 112,760 thefts reported in 1984, a decrease of 4.7 percent compared to 1983. Theft accounted for 55.3 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One theft occurred every 4.7 minutes and it is estimated that $34,665,806 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense. In 19.6 of every 100 thefts, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 15,776 motor vehicle thefts reported in 1984, an increase of 4.8 percent compared to 1983. Motor vehicle theft accounted for 7.7 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One motor vehicle theft occurred

every 33.4 minutes and it is estimated that $73,968,458 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense. In 14.1 of every 100 motor vehicle thefts, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

- There were 1,648 arsons reported in 1984, an increase of 5.1 percent compared to 1983. Arson accounted for 0.8 percent of the total 1984 Missouri Crime Index. One arson occurred every 5.3 hours and it is estimated that $28,966,270 in property was destroyed due to arson in 1984. In 20.7 of every 100 arsons, the cases were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.

INTRODUCTION

This Digest is the fourth in a series of publications prepared by the Missouri Statistical Analysis Center (SAC). It is designed to present data on crime and arrest activity in Missouri from 1975 through 1984 with special emphasis on the most recent year's (1984) crime and arrest activity. The format of the data displays presented in this Digest is similar to those found in the previous edition (1983 Missouri Crime and Arrest Digest).

The crime and arrest data contained in this publication are segmented into five parts. The first section displays the Missouri Crime Clock. This clock offers an overview of the frequency of occurrence of Crime Index offenses committed in the State in relation to time. The Crime Index is the sum of the eight major offenses used to indicate the occurrence of crime in the United States. The eight offenses making up the total Crime Index are: murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson. The second section provides data related to Crime Index offenses committed in the State of Missouri. Its purpose is to provide a comparison of the various types of Crime Index offenses so that their relative importance can be assessed. In addition, Crime Index activity is displayed by geographical regions of the State and also over time to observe trends. The third section presents data on arrest activity and clearance rates associated with Crime Index offenses as well as arrest activity associated with other classes of criminal offenses. These data provide an appreciation of criminal enforcement activity being performed in the State of Missouri by class of crime. The fourth section provides a series of data and analysis related to each of the eight types of Crime Index offenses. Data are provided on crime activity, clearance rates, crime patterns, and arrest activity associated with each of these offenses. Finally, the last section provides summary data on Crime Index offenses and arrest activity for specific law enforcement jurisdictions in the State of Missouri.

The data contained in this Digest were provided on a voluntary basis by Missouri law enforcement agencies to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI), Uniform Crime Reporting Program.

The national UCR Program was initiated in 1930 by the Committee on Uniform Crime Reports of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP). This committee developed uniform offense and arrest classifications as well as reporting procedures which could be used by law enforcement agencies throughout the nation. The FBI was designated to administer the

Program and became the national clearinghouse for UCR data. The Committee on Uniform Crime Reports of the IACP continues to serve the national program in an advisory capacity. In 1966, the National Sheriff's Association also established a Committee on Uniform Crime Reports to act as an advisory body for this program and to promote reporting to the UCR Program.

Crime and arrest data are, for the most part, collected on a monthly basis in the UCR Program. The FBI provides report forms, tally sheets, and self-addressed envelopes to Missouri law enforcement agencies who complete and return them to the FBI.

It should be noted that there are limitations associated with the information displayed in this report. The fact that this program is voluntary in nature in the State of Missouri increases the problems associated with the completeness and representativeness of the information being captured and analyzed. Certain Missouri law enforcement agencies either do not report to the program or they send incomplete data. In most states, reporting to this program is mandatory for law enforcement agencies through the enactment of state statute.

To reduce the problems associated with both non-reporting and incomplete reporting, a number of states and the FBI have used mathematical techniques to estimate total yearly crime and arrest activity. No such techniques have been applied to the data reported in this Digest. Reliance has been placed on displaying crime and arrest rates on a per 100,000 population basis. This type of data display identifies crime and arrest activity in relation to the population of the jurisdictions which report the activity.

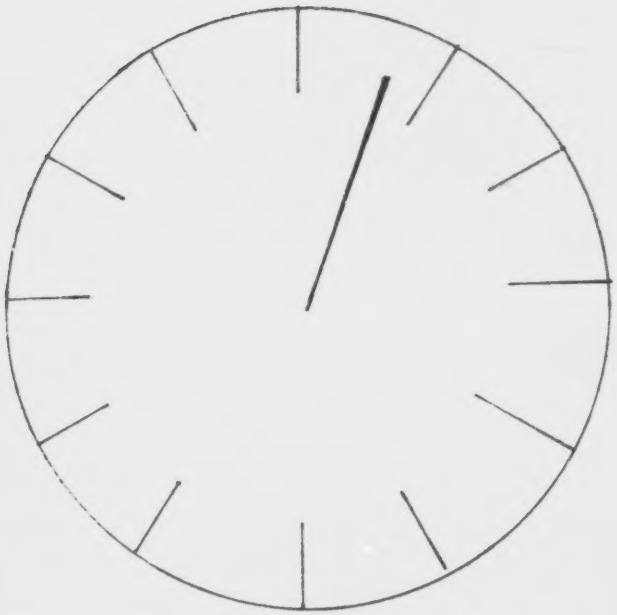
As a result, discrepancies may be found if comparisions are made with FBI UCR publications covering the same subject area for the State of Missouri. In all instances, the FBI publications indicate when an estimation technique was used. Discrepancies may also be noted when examining actual reported figures. This is a result of updates having been made to the UCR files between the time the FBI data were processed and the time the SAC analysis was performed.

1.0 MISSOURI CRIME CLOCK

THE CRIME CLOCK SUMMARIZES CRIMINAL ACTIVITY IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI DURING 1984 IN RELATION TO TIME. FROM THIS PERSPECTIVE, AN APPRECIATION OF THE RELATIVE FREQUENCY OF VARIOUS CRIMINAL OFFENSES CAN BE OBTAINED. THE CRIME CLOCK SHOULD BE VIEWED WITH CARE. BEING THE MOST AGGREGATE REPRESENTATION OF UCR DATA, IT IS DESIGNED TO CONVEY THE ANNUAL REPORTED CRIME EXPERIENCE BY SHOWING THE RELATIVE FREQUENCY OF OCCURRENCE OF THE INDEX OFFENSES. THIS MODE OF DISPLAY SHOULD NOT BE TAKEN TO IMPLY A REGULARITY IN THE COMMISSION OF CRIME; RATHER, IT REPRESENTS THE ANNUAL RATIO OF CRIME TO FIXED TIME INTERVALS.

MISSOURI CRIME CLOCK

1984



ONE INDEX CRIME OFFENSE
EVERY 2.6 MINUTES

ONE VIOLENT CRIME
EVERY 23.9 MINUTES

- ONE MURDER EVERY 1.1 DAYS
- ONE FORCIBLE RAPE EVERY 7.1 HOURS
- ONE ROBBERY EVERY 1.3 HOURS
- ONE AGGRAVATED ASSAULT EVERY 39.0 MINUTES

ONE PROPERTY CRIME
EVERY 2.9 MINUTES

- ONE BURGLARY EVERY 10.2 MINUTES
- ONE THEFT EVERY 4.7 MINUTES
- ONE MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT EVERY 33.4 MINUTES
- ONE ARSON EVERY 5.3 HOURS

2.0 MISSOURI CRIME INDEX COMPARISON ANALYSIS

A SERIES OF TABLES AND FIGURES SUMMARIZES CRIME INDEX OFFENSES COMMITTED IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI. THE PURPOSE OF THESE DISPLAYS IS TO COMPARE THE VARIOUS TYPES OF CRIME INDEX OFFENSES BEING COMMITTED ACCORDING TO THEIR RELATIVE CONTRIBUTION TO THE CRIME INDEX. IN ADDITION, CRIME INDEX OFFENSE RATES ARE DISPLAYED BY GEOGRAPHICAL REGIONS OF THE STATE AND OVER TIME IN ORDER TO OBSERVE TRENDS.

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, STATE OF MISSOURI

1984

OFFENSE	1984	% OF TOTAL CRIME INDEX	% OF VIOLENT CRIME INDEX	% OF PROPERTY CRIME INDEX
TOTAL INDEX	204,036	100.0	-	-
VIOLENT INDEX	22,027	10.8	100.0	-
PROPERTY INDEX	182,009	89.2	-	100.0
MURDER	333	0.2	1.5	-
FORCIBLE RAPE	1,243	0.6	5.6	-
ROBBERY	6,921	3.4	31.4	-
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	13,530	6.6	61.4	-
BURGLARY	51,825	25.4	-	28.5
THEFT	112,760	55.3	-	62.0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	15,776	7.7	-	8.7
ARSON	1,648	0.8	-	0.9

TABLE 2.0.1

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, STATE OF MISSOURI
1975 - 1984

OFFENSE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
TOTAL INDEX[1]	242,014	228,009	208,494	207,875	223,844	253,869	250,502	233,084	214,023	204,036
VIOLENT INDEX	22,743	20,674	21,296	21,874	24,353	26,128	25,667	24,233	22,884	22,027
PROPERTY INDEX[1]	219,271	207,335	187,198	186,001	199,491	227,741	224,835	208,851	191,139	182,009
MURDER	477	395	431	461	505	515	495	454	379	333
FORCIBLE RAPE	1,150	1,241	1,278	1,302	1,550	1,521	1,395	1,228	1,266	1,243
ROBBERY	11,460	9,525	8,961	8,768	10,011	10,787	10,450	9,397	8,223	6,921
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	9,656	9,513	10,626	11,343	12,287	13,305	13,327	13,154	13,016	13,530
BURGLARY	66,622	62,464	58,994	60,945	64,728	76,314	72,773	64,527	56,221	51,825
THEFT	131,175	127,071	110,697	107,913	115,881	129,875	132,322	126,868	118,295	112,760
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	21,474	17,800	17,507	17,143	18,882	19,358	17,869	15,767	15,055	15,776
ARSON[1]	-	-	-	-	-	2,194	1,861	1,689	1,568	1,648
NUMBER OF REPORTING AGENCIES[2]	202	205	216	223	219	229	237	238	240	237

[1]Arson was not reported as an index offense until 1980. In this table, arson figures are included in the Total Index and Property Index totals for 1980-1984.

[2]Number of law enforcement agencies that reported crime index offense activity to the UCR Program in a given year.

TABLE 2.0.2

CRIME INDEX OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]

1975 - 1984

OFFENSE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
TOTAL INDEX[2]	5,821.8	5,370.4	4,865.7	4,784.2	5,171.5	5,842.2	5,643.2	5,274.9	4,858.7	4,705.2
VIOLENT INDEX	547.1	486.9	497.0	503.4	562.6	601.3	578.2	548.4	519.5	508.0
PROPERTY INDEX[2]	5,274.7	4,883.4	4,368.8	4,280.8	4,608.9	5,241.0	5,065.0	4,726.5	4,339.2	4,197.3
MURDER	11.5	9.3	10.1	10.6	11.7	11.9	11.2	10.3	8.6	7.7
FORCIBLE RAPE	27.7	29.2	29.8	30.0	35.8	35.0	31.4	27.8	28.7	28.7
ROBBERY	275.7	224.3	209.1	201.8	231.3	248.2	235.4	212.7	186.7	159.6
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	232.3	224.1	248.0	261.1	283.9	306.2	300.2	297.7	295.5	312.0
BURGLARY	1,602.6	1,471.2	1,376.8	1,402.6	1,495.4	1,756.2	1,639.4	1,460.3	1,276.3	1,195.1
THEFT	3,155.5	2,993.0	2,583.4	2,483.6	2,677.2	2,988.8	2,981.1	2,871.2	2,685.5	2,600.3
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	516.6	419.3	408.6	394.5	436.2	445.5	402.5	356.8	341.8	363.8
ARSON[2]	-	-	-	-	-	51.3	44.0	38.4	35.9	38.1

[1]Crime Index offense rates relate to crime index offenses reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 basis.

[2]Arson was not reported as an index offense until 1980. In this table, arson figures are included in the Total Index and Property Index total for 1980 - 1984.

TABLE 2.0.3

PROPERTY CRIME INDEX

ECONOMIC ANALYSIS

(PROPERTY STOLEN/DESTROYED)

1984

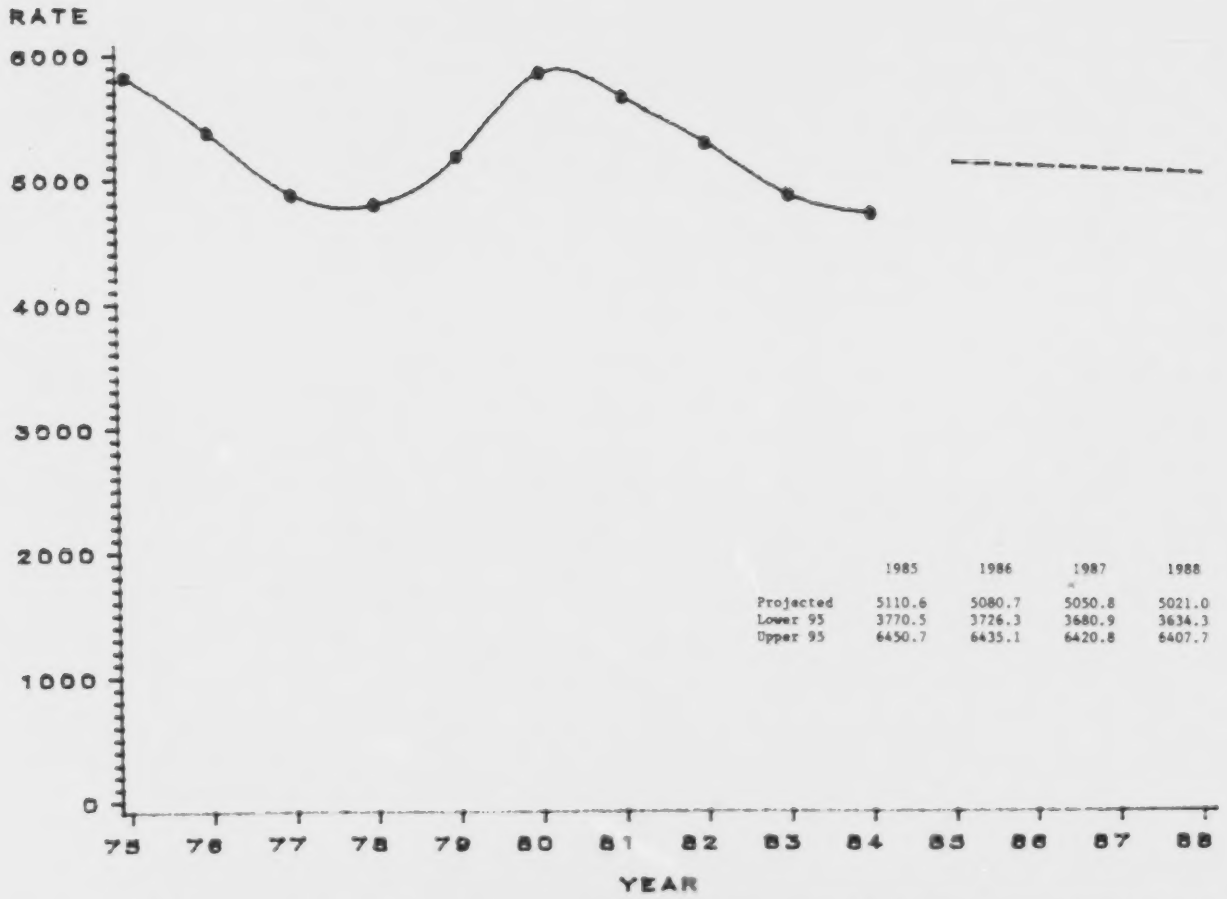
TYPE	LOSS PER[1] OFFENSE	ESTIMATE[2] TOTAL OFFENSES
BURGLARY	$800.35	$41,478,138
THEFT	307.43	34,665,806
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	4,688.67	73,968,458
ARSON	17,576.62	28,966,270
TOTAL	-	$179,078,672

[1]The dollar loss per offense was calculated using only those property offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual dollar amount for the property stolen or destroyed.

[2]The estimate was calculated by multiplying the dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 2.0.4

CRIME INDEX OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



	1985	1986	1987	1988
Projected	5110.6	5080.7	5050.8	5021.0
Lower 95	3770.5	3726.3	3680.9	3634.3
Upper 95	6450.7	6435.1	6420.8	6407.7

[1]Crime Index offense rates are based on the incidents of crime reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 2.0.1

CRIME INDEX OFFENSE RATES,[1] STATE OF MISSOURI BY COUNTY / 1984[2]

LEGEND:[3]

- 3115 TO 10762.7
- 1678.2 TO 3003
- 828.6 TO 1657.4
- LESS THAN 828.6
- DID NOT REPORT

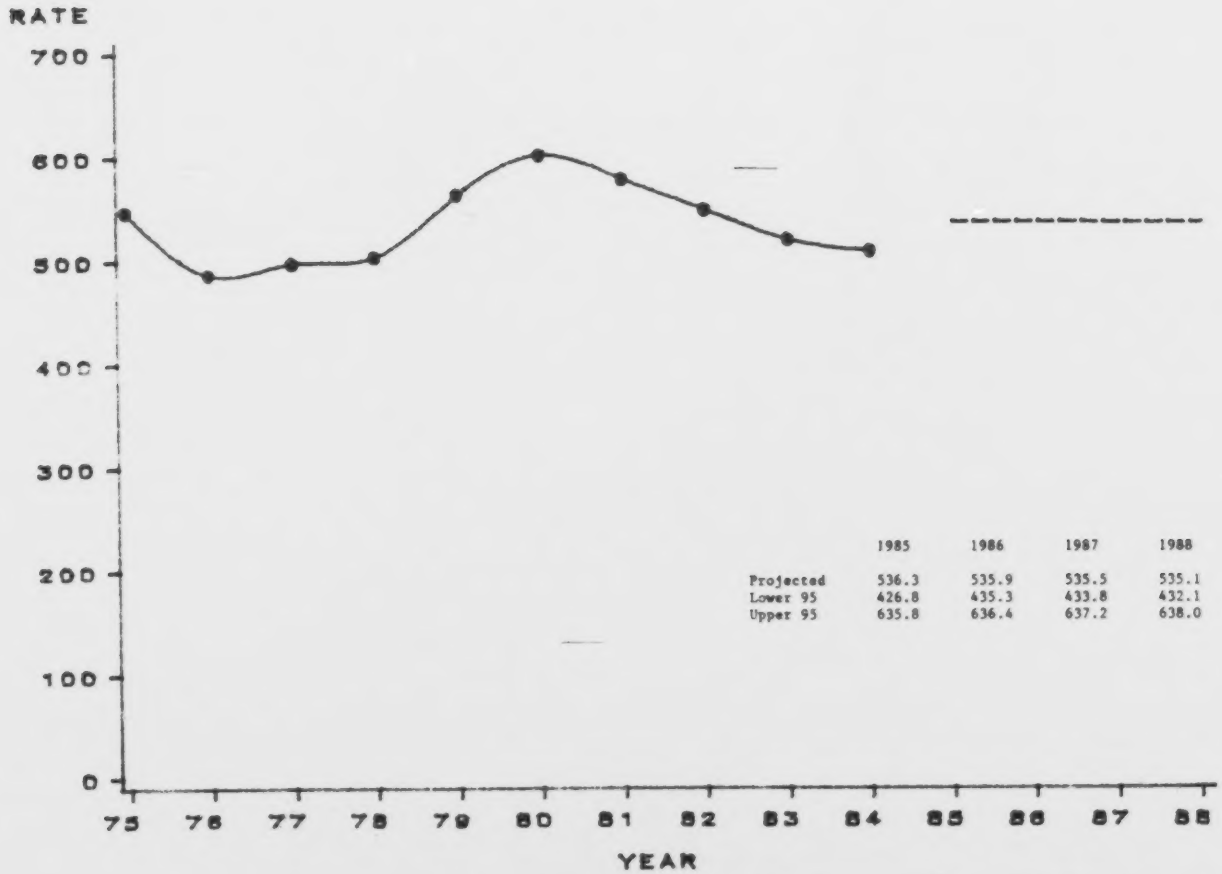
[1] Crime Index offense rates are based on the incidents of crime reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the county population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

[2] Because the jurisdictional boundaries of reporting agencies do not coincide with county boundaries in some instances, the following counties were combined: (Clay/Platte/Jackson) and (Scott/New Madrid).

[3] Legend categories are based on quartiles of counties.

FIGURE 2.0.2

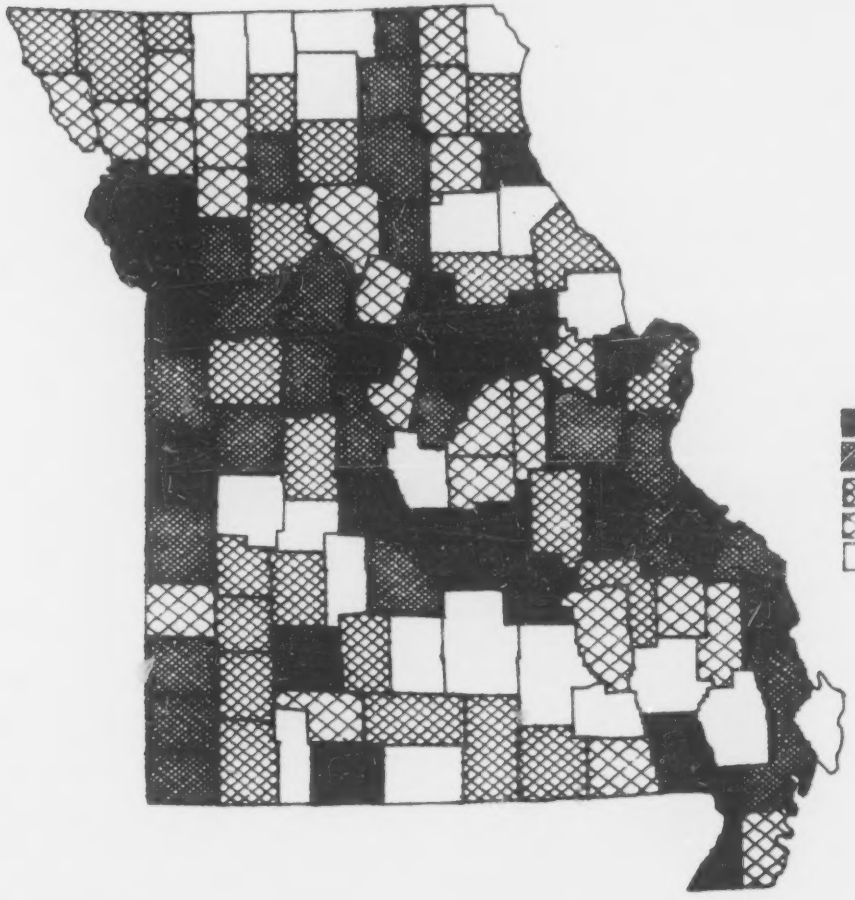
VIOLENT INDEX OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI [1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Violent Index offense rates are based on the incidents of violent crime reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 2.0.3

VIOLENT CRIME OFFENSE RATES,[1] STATE OF MISSOURI BY COUNTY / 1984[2]



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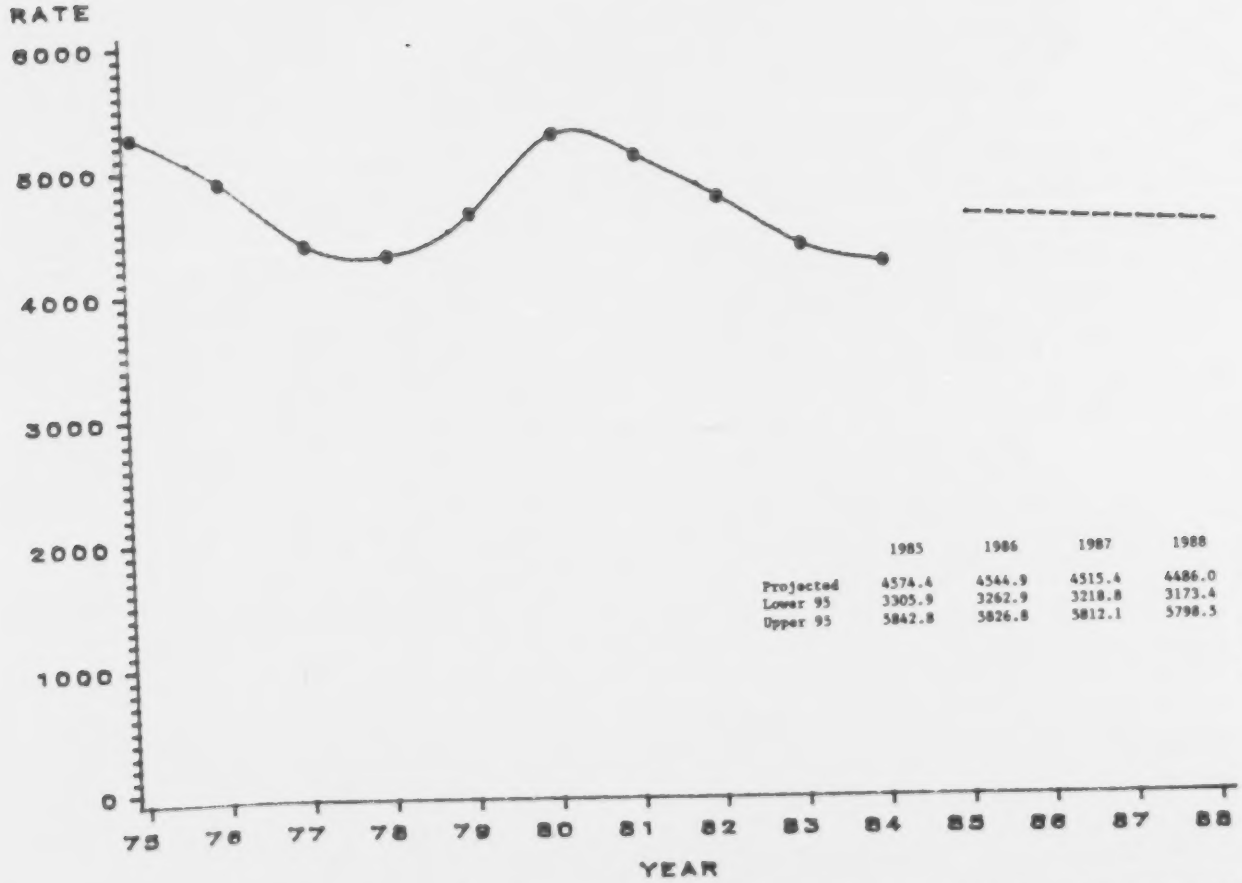
[2]Because the jurisdictional boundaries of reporting agencies do not coincide with county boundaries in some instances, the following counties were combined: (Clay/Platte/Jackson) and (Scott/New Madrid).

[3]Legend categories are based on quartiles of counties.

FIGURE 2.0.4

PROPERTY INDEX OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES

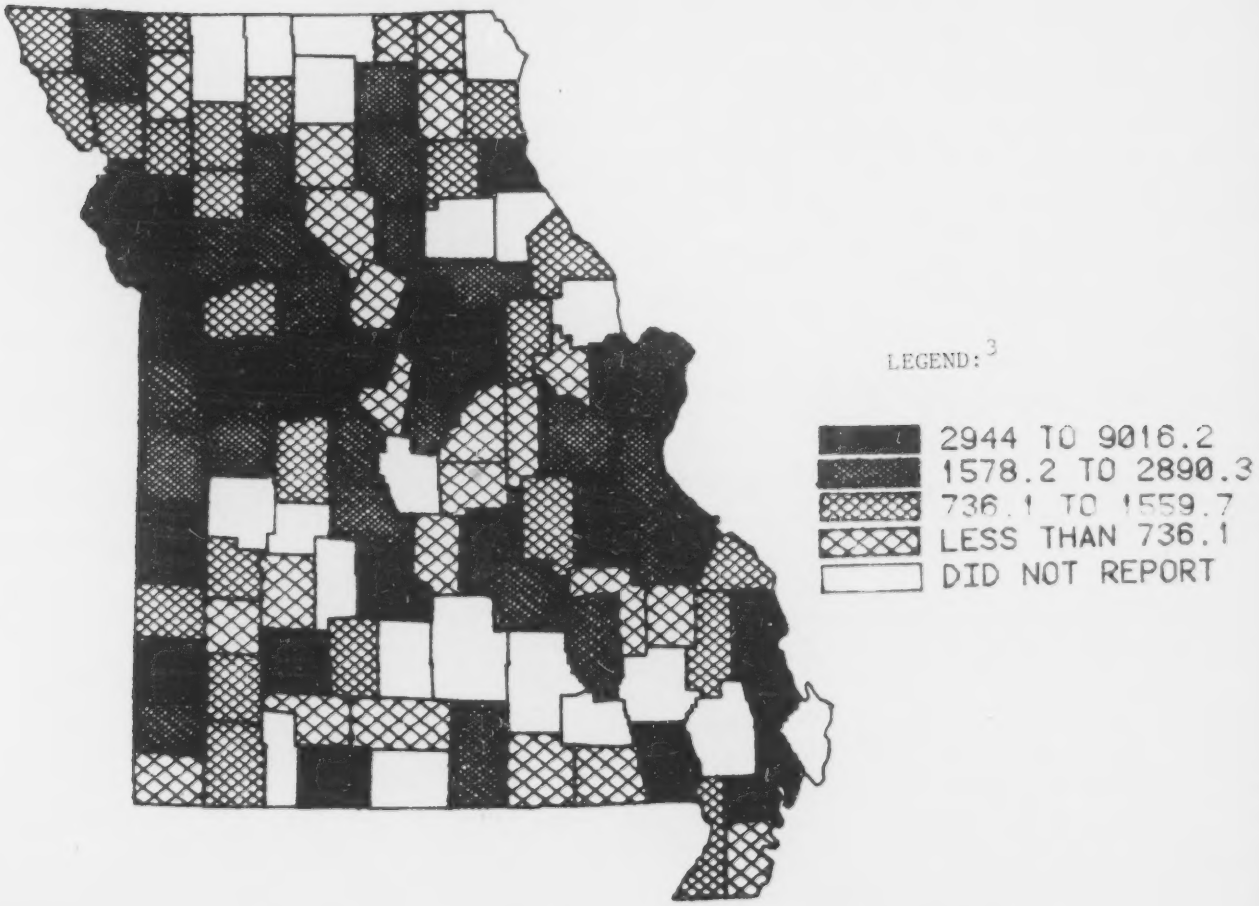


	1985	1986	1987	1988
Projected	4574.4	4544.9	4515.4	4486.0
Lower 95	3305.9	3262.9	3218.8	3173.4
Upper 95	5842.8	5826.8	5812.1	5798.5

[1]Property Index offense rates are based on the incidents of property crime reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 2.0.5

PROPERTY CRIME OFFENSE RATES,[1] STATE OF MISSOURI[2] BY COUNTY / 1984



[1]Property Index offense rates are based on the incidents of property crime reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the county population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

[2]Because the jurisdictional boundaries of reporting agencies do not coincide with county boundaries in some instances, the following counties were combined: (Clay/Platte/Jackson) and (Scott/New Madrid).

[3]Legend categories are based on quartiles of counties.

FIGURE 2.0.6

3.0 MISSOURI ARREST ANALYSIS

A SERIES OF TABLES AND FIGURES SUMMARIZES MISSOURI CRIME INDEX ARREST CLEARANCE RATES, ACTUAL ARREST ACTIVITY ASSOCIATED WITH CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, AND ARREST ACTIVITY ASSOCIATED WITH ALL OTHER CLASSES OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITY REPORTED TO THE UCR SYSTEM. THE PURPOSE OF THESE DISPLAYS IS TO PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF CRIMINAL ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY BEING PERFORMED IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI BY CLASS OF CRIME. IN ADDITION, ARREST RATES ARE DISPLAYED OVER TIME IN ORDER TO OBSERVE TRENDS.

CRIME INDEX CLEARANCE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]

1975 - 1984

OFFENSE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
TOTAL INDEX[2]	20.9	20.7	20.9	20.3	19.2	18.7	20.1	20.1	21.7	21.6
VIOLENT INDEX	45.1	47 4	48.4	48.1	45.5	43.5	45.6	46.0	50.0	50.6
PROPERTY INDEX[2]	18.4	18.0	17.7	17.1	16.0	15.8	17.2	17.1	18.3	18.0
MURDER	82.1	78.6	79.4	78.7	79.6	78.1	77.2	70.0	79.5	76.1
FORCIBLE RAPE	66.1	63.6	60.2	58.9	53.0	51.8	55.6	56.7	59.2	54.1
ROBBERY	23.7	25.7	25.6	26.9	26.6	23.7	26.2	25.0	31.0	28.5
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	66.3	65.7	65.1	62.2	58.6	57.4	58.8	59.2	60.4	61.0
BURGLARY	20.2	17.7	15.2	15.2	15.1	14.7	16.4	14.9	16.9	15.8
THEFT	18.0	18.5	19.4	18.4	16.8	16.8	17.9	18.4	19.2	19.6
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	15.1	15.4	15.7	15.0	14.6	13.8	14.7	15.0	15.9	14.1
ARSON[2]	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	16.8	14.4	22.5	20.7

[1]Clearance rates indicate the percent of offenses that were cleared by arrest or exceptional means. See glossary for a further explanation.

[2]Arson was not reported as an index offense until 1980. In this table, arson figures are included in the Total Index and Property Index totals for 1980-1984.

TABLE 3.0.1

CRIME INDEX ARRESTS, STATE OF MISSOURI

1975 - 1984

OFFENSE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
TOTAL INDEX	53,677	50,716	48,055	38,570	41,413	45,083	50,882	50,845	44,024	43,820
VIOLENT INDEX	11,978	10,235	9,943	7,805	10,411	10,875	11,717	11,986	11,196	12,351
PROPERTY INDEX	41,699	40,481	38,112	30,765	31,002	34,208	39,165	38,859	32,828	31,469
MURDER	617	461	439	427	427	471	490	462	332	313
FORCIBLE RAPE	643	676	807	714	1,106	1,054	1,060	1,031	978	997
ROBBERY	5,134	4,383	3,514	2,580	3,074	2,997	2,958	2,901	2,535	2,161
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	5,584	4,715	5,183	4,084	5,804	6,353	7,209	7,592	7,351	8,880
BURGLARY	12,956	11,689	10,503	8,688	9,653	10,074	10,906	10,374	8,189	7,056
THEFT	25,449	25,835	24,423	19,257	19,064	21,986	26,152	26,460	23,244	22,686
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	2,849	2,503	2,798	2,465	1,823	1,667	1,683	1,631	1,099	1,407
ARSON	445	454	388	355	462	481	424	394	296	320
NUMBER OF REPORTING AGENCIES[1]	180	187	199	205	196	209	215	226	228	226

[1]Number of law enforcement agencies that reported arrest activity to the UCR Program in a given year.

TABLE 3.0.2

CRIME INDEX ARREST RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]

1975 - 1984

OFFENSE	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
TOTAL INDEX	1,362.7	1,265.6	1,185.5	945.7	1,045.9	1,103.1	1,226.7	1,217.8	1,201.8	1,187.7
VIOLENT INDEX	304.1	255.4	245.5	191.4	262.9	266.1	282.5	287.1	305.6	334.8
PROPERTY INDEX	1,058.6	1,010.2	940.0	754.4	783.0	837.0	944.2	930.7	896.1	853.0
MURDER	15.7	11.5	10.8	10.5	10.8	11.5	11.8	11.1	9.1	8.5
FORCIBLE RAPE	16.3	16.9	19.9	17.5	27.9	25.8	25.6	24.7	26.7	27.0
ROBBERY	130.3	109.4	86.9	63.3	77.6	73.3	71.3	69.5	69.2	58.6
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	141.8	117.7	127.8	100.1	146.6	155.4	173.8	181.8	200.7	240.7
BURGLARY	328.9	291.7	259.1	213.0	243.8	246.5	262.9	248.5	223.5	191.3
THEFT	646.1	644.7	602.4	472.2	481.5	538.0	630.5	633.8	634.5	614.9
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	72.3	62.5	69.0	60.4	46.0	40.8	40.6	39.1	30.0	38.1
ARSON	11.3	11.3	9.6	8.7	11.7	11.8	10.2	9.4	8.1	8.7

[1]Crime Index arrest rates relate to arrests made for crime index offenses reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 basis.

TABLE 3.0.3

TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED BY MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE

STATE OF MISSOURI

1984

OFFENSES CHARGED	TOTAL	JUVENILE	ADULT	MALES	FEMALES
TOTAL[1]	186,540	23,933	162,607	152,522	34,018
Murder & Non-negligent Manslaughter	313	44	269	278	35
Forcible Rape	997	198	799	981	16
Robbery	2,161	443	1,718	1,996	165
Aggravated Assault	8,880	1,070	7,810	7,505	1,375
Burglary	7,056	2,149	4,907	6,683	373
Theft	22,686	5,699	16,987	16,297	6,389
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,407	489	918	1,293	114
Arson	320	93	227	289	31
Violent Crime[2]	12,351	1,755	10,596	10,760	1,591
Property Crime[3]	31,469	8,430	23,039	24,562	6,907
CRIME INDEX TOTAL[4]	43,820	10,185	33,635	35,322	8,498
Other Assaults	10,724	1,014	9,710	9,190	1,534
Forgery & Counterfeiting	1,376	92	1,284	866	510
Fraud	2,230	52	2,178	1,381	849
Embezzlement	24	4	20	13	11
Stolen Property	1,048	217	831	924	124
Vandalism	3,287	1,126	2,161	2,933	354
Weapons	3,770	358	3,412	3,429	341
Prostitution	2,202	97	2,105	953	1,249
Sex Offenses	2,192	258	1,934	2,050	142
Drug Abuse Violations	7,942	719	7,223	6,951	991
Gambling	718	11	707	670	48
Offenses Against Family and Children	693	25	668	507	186
Driving under Influence	27,405	403	27,002	24,179	3,226
Liquor Laws	6,466	1,343	5,123	5,555	911
Drunkenness	1,037	26	1,011	943	94
Disorderly Conduct	12,062	814	11,248	10,038	2,024
Vagrancy	619	50	569	538	81
Other Offenses (except Traffic)	55,829	4,043	51,786	44,457	11,372
Suspicion[1]	1,358	160	1,198	1,177	181
Curfew and Loitering	928	928	0	637	291
Runaways	2,168	2,168	0	986	1,182

[1]Arrests for suspicion are not included in Total.

[2]Violent crimes include arrests for murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3]Property crimes include arrests for burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft and arson.

[4]Includes arson.

TABLE 3.0.4

CRIME INDEX ARREST RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES

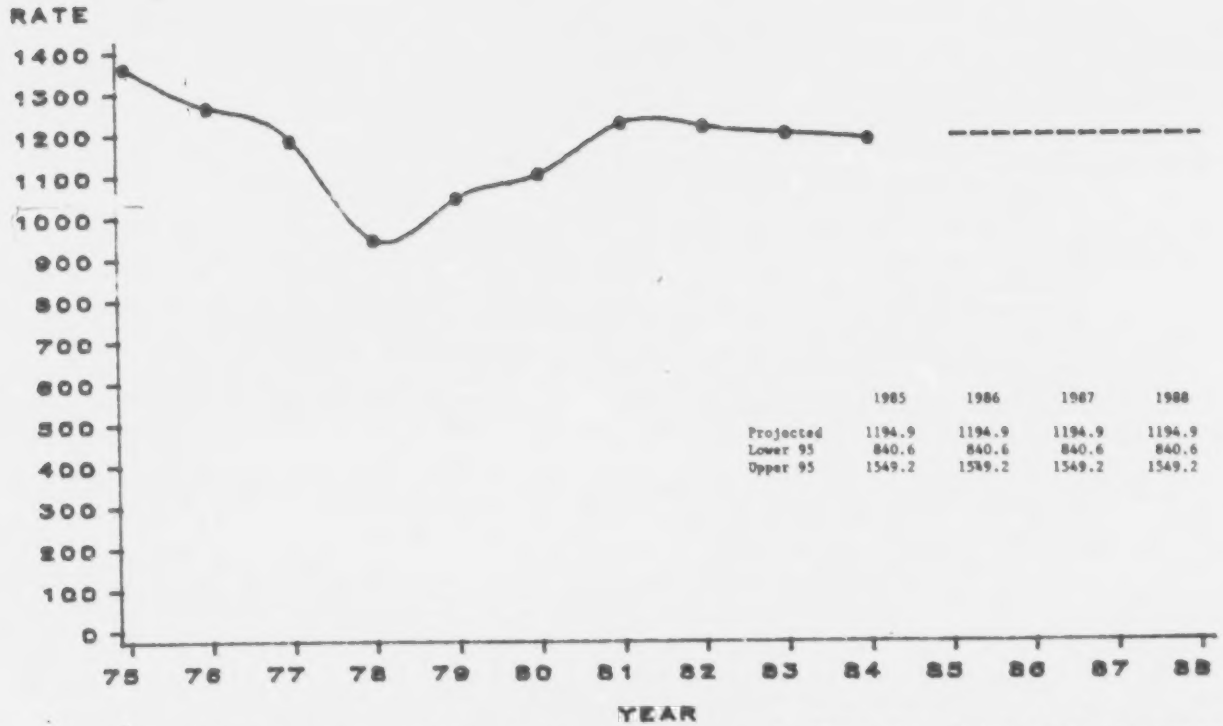


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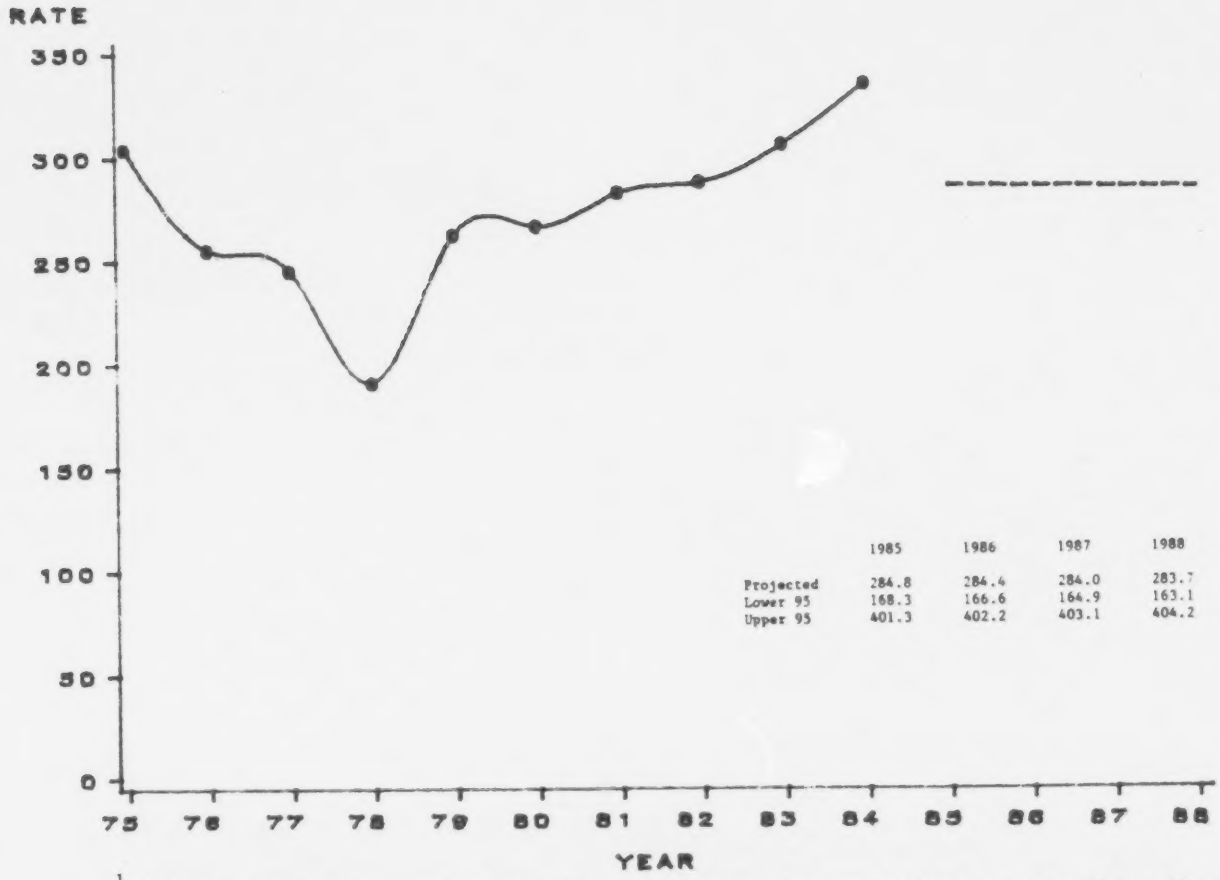
FIGURE 3.0.1

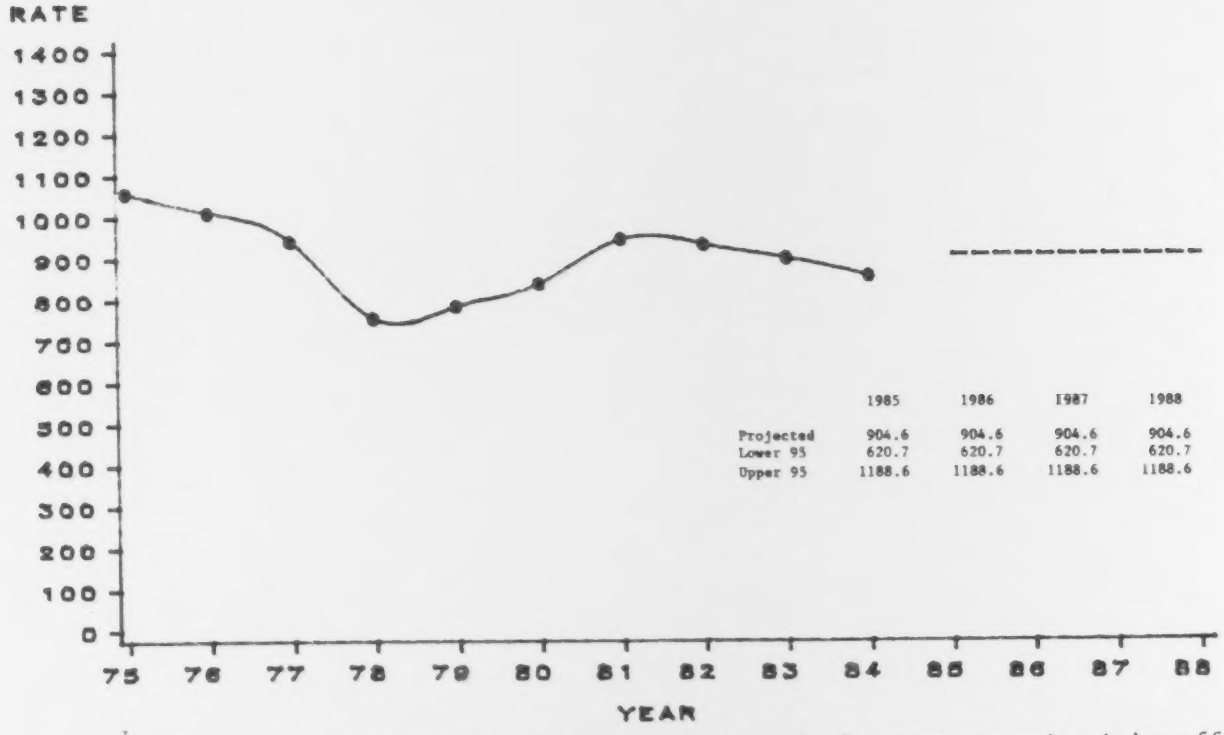
VIOLENT INDEX ARREST RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI [1]
TIME SERIES



[1] Violent Index arrest rates relate to arrests made for violent crime index offenses reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 3.0.2

PROPERTY INDEX ARREST RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Property Index arrest rates relate to arrests made for property crime index offenses reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 3.0.3

4.0 MISSOURI DETAIL CRIME INDEX ANALYSIS

A SERIES OF TABLES AND FIGURES SUMMARIZES CRIME ACTIVITY, CLEARANCE RATES, CRIME PATTERNS, AND ARREST ACTIVITY ASSOCIATED WITH SPECIFIC TYPES OF CRIME INDEX OFFENSES COMMITTED IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI. DETAIL ANALYSIS IS PROVIDED ON THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF CRIME:

* MURDER
* FORCIBLE RAPE
* ROBBERY
* AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
* BURGLARY
* THEFT
* MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT
* ARSON

4.1 MURDER

DEFINITION

Murder and non-negligent manslaughter, is the willful killing of one human being by another. Not included in this offense classification are deaths caused by negligence, suicide, accident, justifiable homicide (the killing of a felon by a peace officer in the line of duty or a private citizen during the commission of a felony) and attempts to murder (these are classified as aggravated assaults). Murder offenses are reported on a per victim basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 333 murders reported during 1984 which was a 12.1 percent reduction from 1983.
- One murder was reported every 1.1 days.
- Murder accounted for 0.2 percent of the Total Crime Index and 1.5 percent of all Violent Index offenses.
- The murder rate per 100,000 population was 7.7 in 1984 compared to 8.6 in 1983.
- In 1984, 76.1 of every 100 murders were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 313 persons were reported arrested for murder in 1984. Of these, 85.9 percent were adults and 14.1 percent were juveniles.
- Of the murder victims reported, 78.0 percent were male and 22.0 percent were female. Of the total, 91.7 percent were adults, 7.4 percent were juveniles, and 0.9 percent had an unknown age.
- A firearm was used by 58.9 percent of the offenders associated with murders.

MURDER SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	379	8.6
1984	333	7.7
Percent of Change	- 12.1	- 10.5

MURDER RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	216	64.9	24.2
100,000-249,999	20	6.0	8.0
50,000-99,999	6	1.8	3.1
25,000-49,999	14	4.2	3.8
10,000-24,999	16	4.8	3.2
2,500-9,999	8	2.4	1.8
Under 2,500	0	0.0	0.0
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	25	7.5	2.9
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	28	8.4	3.6
State Total	333	100.0	7.7

TABLE 4.1.1

MURDER CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	79.5	5.5
1984	76.1	5.7

TABLE 4.1.2

MURDER ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL MURDER ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	236	75.4
	JUVENILES	42	13.4
FEMALE	ADULTS	33	10.5
	JUVENILES	2	0.6
TOTAL		313	100.0

TABLE 4.1.3

MURDER ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL MURDER ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	111	35.6
	JUVENILES	27	8.7
BLACK	ADULTS	157	50.3
	JUVENILES	17	5.4
UNKNOWN		1	-
TOTAL		313	100.0

TABLE 4.1.4

MURDER VICTIMS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED[1]	% OF TOTAL
MALE	ADULTS	244	72.6
	JUVENILES	17	5.1
	UNKNOWN	1	0.3
FEMALE	ADULTS	64	19.1
	JUVENILES	8	2.4
	UNKNOWN	2	0.6
TOTAL		336	100.0

[1] Victim data were obtained from the UCR Supplemental Homicide Report. The total number of victims in this table may not exactly correspond to the 333 murders committed in 1984 because law enforcement agencies also report murder offenses on a separate form entitled the Return A. Discrepancies can occur as a result of an agency inadvertently updating or adjusting only one of these reports but not the other.

TABLE 4.1.5

MURDER VICTIMS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED[1]	% OF TOTAL
WHITE	ADULTS	129	38.5
	JUVENILES	11	3.3
	UNKNOWN	2	0.6
BLACK	ADULTS	179	53.4
	JUVENILES	14	4.2
	UNKNOWN	0	0.0
UNKNOWN	ADULTS	0	0.0
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
	UNKNOWN	1	-
TOTAL		336	100.0

[1] Victim data were obtained from the UCR Supplemental Homicide Report. The total number of victims in this table may not exactly correspond to the 333 murders committed in 1984 because law enforcement agencies also report murder offenses on a separate form entitled the Return A. Discrepancies can occur as a result of an agency inadvertently updating or adjusting only one of these reports but not the other.

TABLE 4.1.6

TYPE OF WEAPON USED BY OFFENDERS IN MURDERS

1984

TYPE	REPORTED[1]	% OF TOTAL
FIREARM	221	58.9
KNIFE	56	14.9
BLUNT OBJECT	30	8.0
PERSONAL WEAPONS (Hands, Feet, etc.)	18	4.8
EXPLOSIVES	1	0.3
FIRE	2	0.5
NARCOTICS	1	0.3
DROWNING	4	1.1
STRANGULATION	11	2.9
ASPHYXIATION	5	1.3
OTHER	26	6.9
TOTAL	375	100.0

[1] The 375 offenders in this table are directly associated with the 336 victims murdered in 1984. Victim and offender data were both obtained from the UCR Supplemental Homicide Report.

TABLE 4.1.7

CIRCUMSTANCES WITH MURDERS

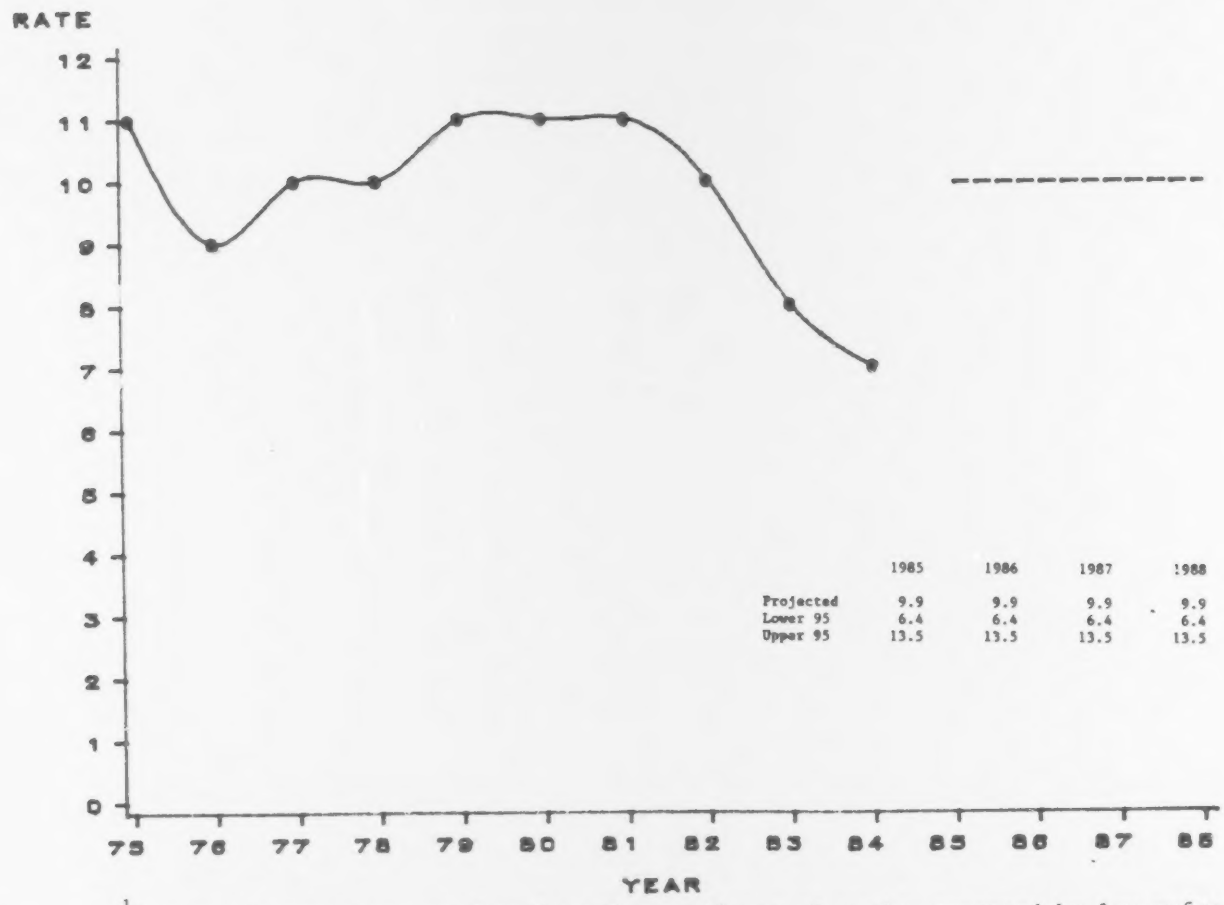
1984

TYPE	CIRCUMSTANCE	REPORTED[1]	% OF TOTAL
FELONY RELATED	RAPE	1	0.5
	ROBBERY	29	15.8
	BURGLARY	3	1.6
	ARSON	3	1.6
	OTHER SEX	3	1.6
	NARCOTICS LAWS	1	0.5
	SUSPECTED FELONY TYPE UNKNOWN	1	0.5
NOT FELONY RELATED	LOVER'S TRIANGLE	4	2.2
	BRAWL INFLUENCED BY ALCOHOL	4	2.2
	BRAWL INFLUENCED BY DRUGS	2	1.1
	ARGUMENT OVER MONEY OR PROPERTY	3	1.6
	OTHER ARGUMENTS	72	39.1
	INSTITUTIONAL KILLINGS	1	0.5
	OTHER	57	31.0
UNKNOWN		140	-
	TOTAL	324	100.0

[1]The 324 circumstances in this table are directly associated with the first victim and first offender in a murder incident. Victim and offender data were both obtained from the UCR Supplemental Homicide Report.

TABLE 4.1.8

MURDER OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Murder offense rates are based on the incidence of murder reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.1.1

4.2 FORCIBLE RAPE

DEFINITION

Forcible rape is the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will. Assaults or attempts to commit rape by force or threat of force are also included. However, statutory rape (without force), sex attacks on males and other types of sex offenses are not included in this category. Forcible rape offenses are reported on a per victim basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 1,243 rapes reported during 1984 which was a 1.8 percent decrease from 1983.
- One rape was reported every 7.1 hours.
- Rape accounted for 0.6 percent of the Total Crime Index and 5.6 percent of all Violent Index offenses.
- The rape rate per 100,000 population was 28.7 in 1984 compared to 28.7 in 1983.
- Actual rape by force constituted 80.7 percent of all reported rapes while attempted rapes accounted for 19.3 percent.
- In 1984, 54.1 of every 100 rapes were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 997 persons were reported arrested for rape in 1984.
- Of those persons arrested for rape in 1984, 80.1 percent were adults and 19.9 percent were juveniles.

FORCIBLE RAPE SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	1,266	28.7
1984	1,243	28.7
Percent of Change	- 1.8	0.0

FORCIBLE RAPE RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	721	58.0	80.7
100,000-249,999	65	5.2	26.1
50,000-99,999	41	3.3	20.9
25,000-49,999	95	7.6	25.7
10,000-24,999	88	7.1	17.4
2,500-9,999	56	4.5	12.9
Under 2,500	18	1.4	40.9
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	106	8.5	12.3
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	53	4.3	6.7
State Total	1,243	100.0	28.7

TABLE 4.2.1

ACTUAL/ATTEMPTED RAPE OFFENSES

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
FORCIBLE RAPE	1,002	80.7
ATTEMPTED RAPE	240	19.3
UNKNOWN	1	-
TOTAL	1,243	100.0

TABLE 4.2.2

FORCIBLE RAPE CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	59.2	10.2
1984	54.1	13.1

TABLE 4.2.3

FORCIBLE RAPE ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL RAPE ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	787	78.9
	JUVENILES	194	19.5
FEMALE	ADULTS	12	1.2
	JUVENILES	4	0.4
TOTAL		997	100.0

TABLE 4.2.4

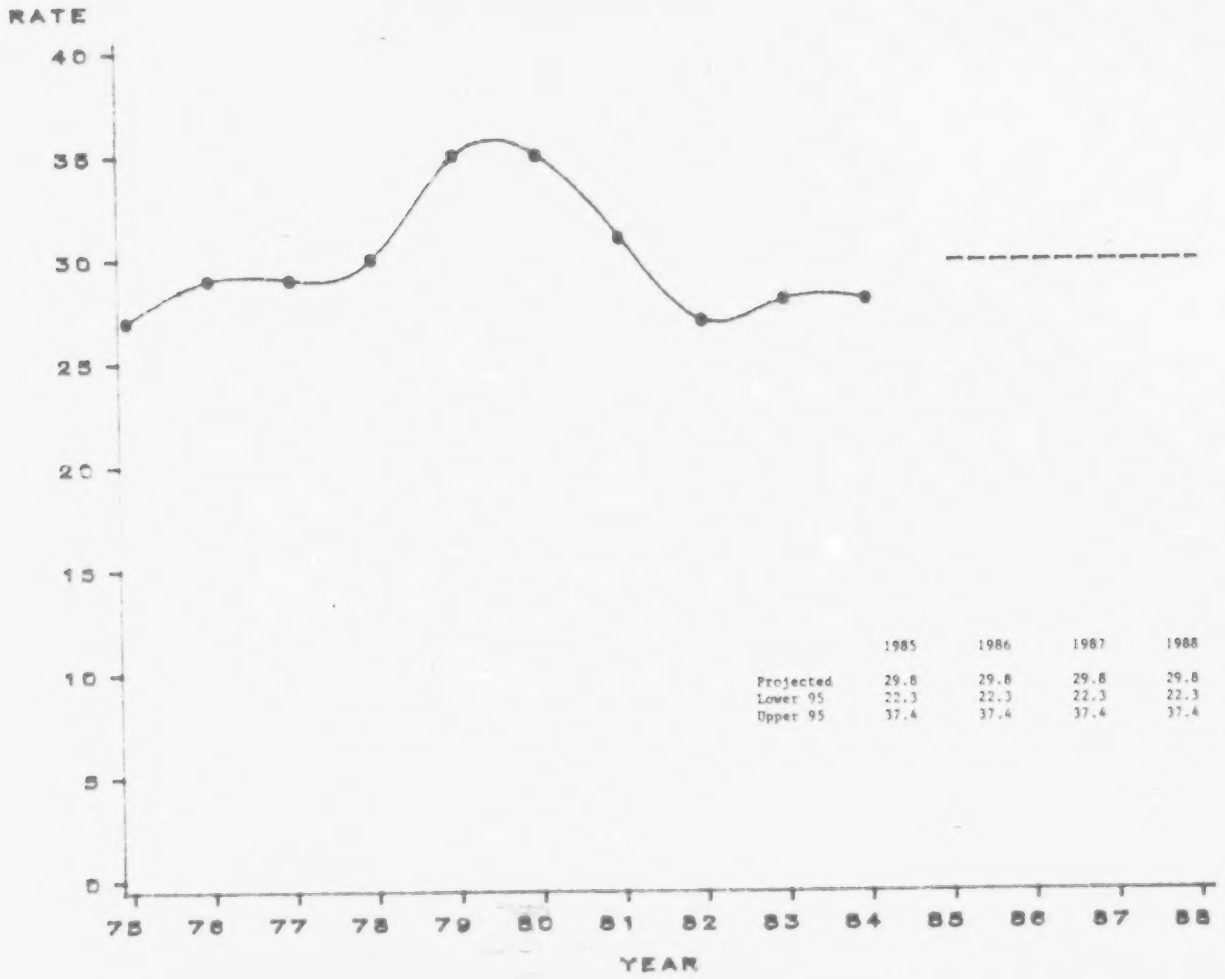
FORCIBLE RAPE ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL RAPE ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	302	30.4
	JUVENILES	58	5.8
BLACK	ADULTS	492	49.5
	JUVENILES	139	14.0
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	1	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	1	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
UNKNOWN		4	-
TOTAL		997	100.0

TABLE 4.2.5

RAPE OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Rape offense rates are based on the incidence of rape reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.2.1

4.3 ROBBERY

DEFINITION

Robbery is the taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear. Robbery involves a theft or larceny but is aggravated by the element of force or threat of force. Robbery offenses are reported on an incident-by-incident basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 6,921 robberies reported during 1984 which was a 15.8 percent decrease from 1983.
- One robbery was reported every 1.3 hours.
- Robbery accounted for 3.4 percent of the Total Crime Index and 31.4 percent of all Violent Index offenses.
- The robbery rate per 100,000 population was 159.6 in 1984 compared to 186.7 in 1983.
- In 37.2 percent of all robberies, a firearm was used.
- Street robbery was the most prevalent class of robbery accounting for 65.4 percent of all such offenses.
- It is estimated that $3,770,353 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense.
- In 1984, 28.5 of every 100 robberies were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 2,161 persons were reported arrested for robbery in 1984. Of these, 79.5 percent were adults and 20.5 percent were juveniles.

ROBBERY SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	8,223	186.7
1984	6,921	159.6
Percent of Change	- 15.8	- 14.5

ROBBERY RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	5,552	80.2	621.7
100,000-249,999	222	3.2	89.2
50,000-99,999	95	1.4	48.4
25,000-49,999	274	4.0	74.2
10,000-24,999	317	4.6	62.7
2,500-9,999	128	1.8	29.5
Under 2,500	24	0.3	54.5
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	275	4.0	32.0
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	34	0.5	4.3
State Total	6,921	100.0	159.6

TABLE 4.3.1

TYPE OF WEAPON USED IN ROBBERIES

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
FIREARMS	2,575	37.2
KNIVES OR CUTTING INSTRUMENTS	732	10.6
OTHER WEAPONS	658	9.5
STRONG ARMED (Hands, Feet, etc.)	2,955	42.7
UNKNOWN	1	-
TOTAL	6,921	100.0

TABLE 4.3.2

ROBBERY LOSS/LOCATION

1984

LOCATION	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL	$ LOSS[1] PER INCIDENT
SERVICE STATION	222	3.3	$1,100.81
CONVENIENCE STORE	230	3.4	335.95
BANK	54	0.8	2,504.97
OTHER COMMERCIAL	739	10.9	875.91
STREET/HIGHWAY	4,432	65.4	426.52
RESIDENCE	785	11.6	734.07
MISCELLANEOUS	313	4.6	536.50
UNKNOWN	146	-	-
TOTAL	6,921	100.0	544.77
1984 TOTAL STATE LOSS ESTIMATE[2] = $3,770,353			

[1]The dollar loss per incident was calculated using only those robbery offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual monetary loss.

[2]This estimate of property loss was calculated by multiplying the total dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 4.3.3

ROBBERY CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	31.0	10.4
1984	28.5	12.8

TABLE 4.3.4

ROBBERY ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ROBBERY ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	1,574	72.8
	JUVENILES	422	19.5
FEMALE	ADULTS	144	6.7
	JUVENILES	21	1.0
TOTAL		2,161	100.0

TABLE 4.3.5

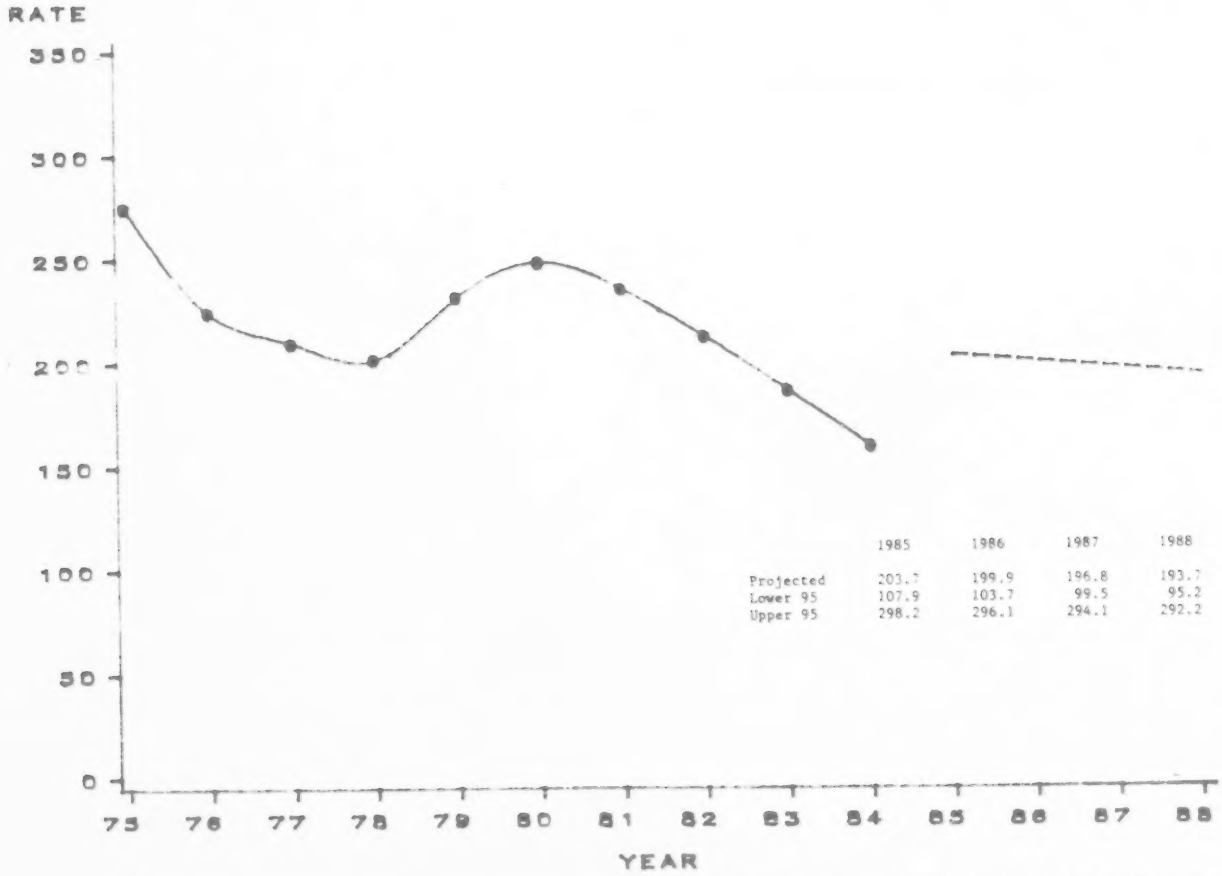
ROBBERY ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ROBBERY ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	473	21.9
	JUVENILES	121	5.6
BLACK	ADULTS	1,240	57.4
	JUVENILES	321	14.9
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	1	0.0
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	2	0.1
	JUVENILES	1	0.0
UNKNOWN		2	-
TOTAL		2,161	100.0

TABLE 4.3.6

ROBBERY OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Robbery offense rates are based on the incidence of robbery reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.3.1

4.4 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

DEFINITION

Aggravated assault is an unlawful attack or attempted attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm. All assaults or attempted assaults by one person upon another with the intent to kill, maim or inflict severe bodily injury with the use of any dangerous weapon are classified under this category of offense. Aggravated assault offenses are reported on a per victim basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 13,530 aggravated assaults reported in 1984 which was a 3.9 percent increase over 1983.
- One aggravated assault was reported every 39.0 minutes.
- Aggravated assault accounted for 6.6 percent of the Total Crime Index and 61.4 percent of all Violent Index offenses.
- The aggravated assault rate per 100,000 population was 312.0 in 1984 compared to 295.5 in 1983.
- A firearm was used in 22.2 percent of the cases.
- In 1984, 61.0 of every 100 aggravated assaults were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 8,880 persons were reported arrested for aggravated assault in 1984. Of these, 88.0 percent were adults and 12.0 percent were juveniles.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	13,016	295.5
1984	13,530	312.0
Percent of Change	+ 3.9	+ 5.6

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	8,407	62.1	941.4
100,000-249,999	384	2.8	154.2
50,000-99,999	360	2.7	183.2
25,000-49,999	497	3.7	134.7
10,000-24,999	1,083	8.0	214.2
2,500-9,999	903	6.7	208.3
Under 2,500	198	1.5	449.7
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	1,233	9.1	143.6
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	465	3.4	59.1
State Total	13,530	100.0	312.0

TABLE 4.4.1

TYPE OF WEAPON USED IN AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
FIREARMS	3,004	22.2
KNIVES OR CUTTING INSTRUMENTS	2,626	19.4
OTHER WEAPONS	4,945	36.6
HANDS, FEET, ETC./ AGGRAVATED INJURY	2,950	21.8
UNKNOWN	5	-
TOTAL	13,530	100.0

TABLE 4.4.2

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	60.4	7.7
1984	61.0	9.4

TABLE 4.4.3

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ASSAULT ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	6,709	75.6
	JUVENILES	796	9.0
FEMALE	ADULTS	1,101	12.4
	JUVENILES	274	3.1
TOTAL		8,880	100.0

TABLE 4.4.4

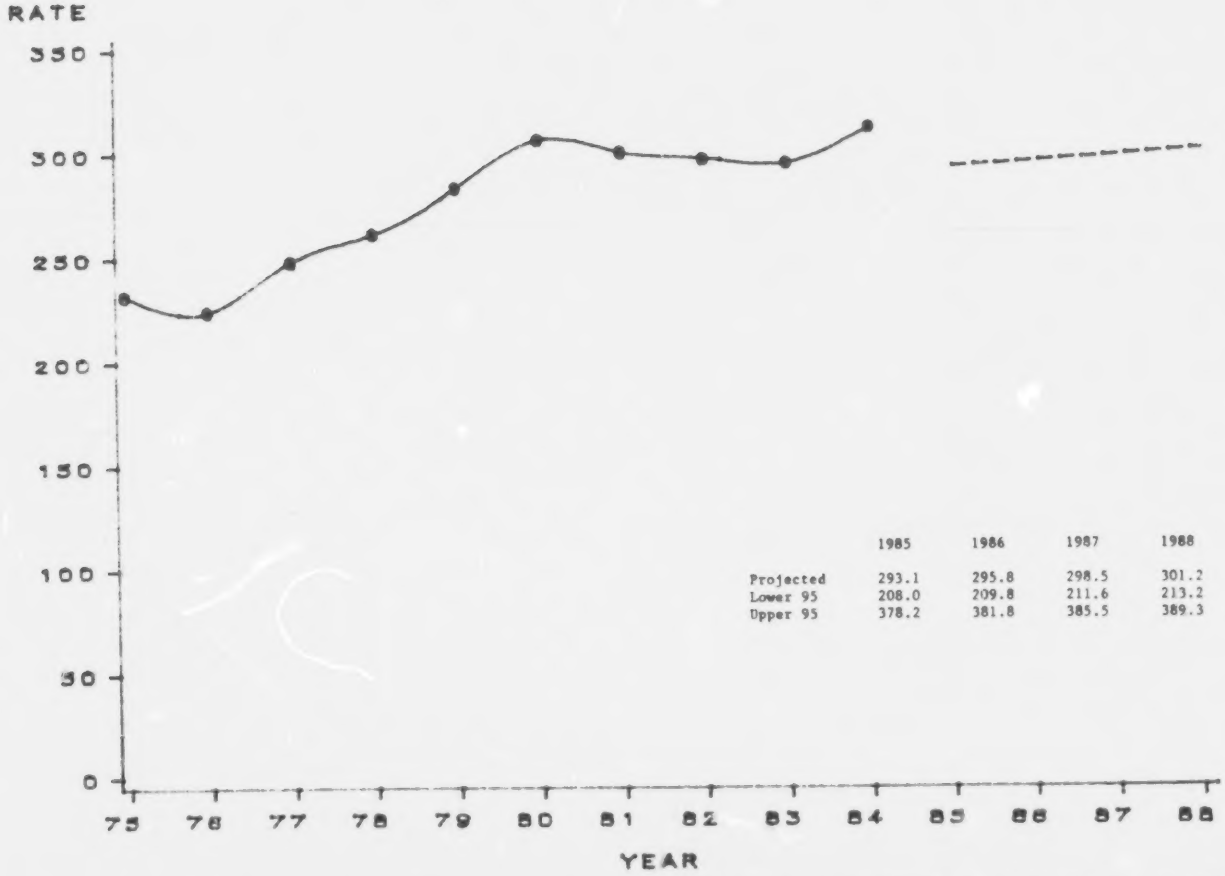
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ASSAULT ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	2,867	32.4
	JUVENILES	415	4.7
BLACK	ADULTS	4,894	55.3
	JUVENILES	651	7.4
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	7	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	9	0.1
	JUVENILES	3	0.0
UNKNOWN		34	-
TOTAL		8,880	100.0

TABLE 4.4.5

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Aggravated Assault offense rates are based on the incidence of aggravated assault reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.4.1

4.5 BURGLARY

DEFINITION

Burglary is the unlawful entry or attempted unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a theft. Burglary offenses are reported on an incident-by-incident basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 51,825 burglaries reported during 1984 which was a 7.8 percent decrease from 1983.
- One burglary was reported every 10.2 minutes.
- Burglary accounted for 25.4 percent of the Total Crime Index and 28.5 percent of all Property Index offenses.
- The burglary rate per 100,000 population was 1,195.1 in 1984 compared to 1,276.3 in 1983.
- Of all burglaries, 69.4 percent involved a residential dwelling and 65.7 percent were accomplished by forcible entry.
- It is estimated that $41,478,138 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense.
- In 1984, 15.8 of every 100 burglaries were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 7,056 persons were reported arrested for burglary in 1984. Of these, 69.5 percent were adults and 30.5 percent were juveniles.

BURGLARY SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	56,221	1,276.3
1984	51,825	1,195.1
Percent of Change	- 7.8	- 6.4

BURGLARY RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	24,438	47.2	2,736.6
100,000-249,999	3,415	6.6	1,371.6
50,000-99,999	2,749	5.3	1,399.2
25,000-49,999	3,882	7.5	1,051.9
10,000-24,999	4,996	9.6	988.4
2,500-9,999	2,987	5.8	689.0
Under 2,500	521	1.0	1,183.2
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	5,995	11.6	698.0
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	2,842	5.5	361.2
State Total	51,825	100.0	1,195.1

TABLE 4.5.1

TYPE OF BURGLARY

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
FORCIBLE ENTRY	34,015	65.7
UNLAWFUL ENTRY NO FORCE	13,737	26.5
ATTEMPTED FORCIBLE ENTRY	4,049	7.8
UNKNOWN	24	-
TOTAL	51,825	100.0

TABLE 4.5.2

BURGLARY LOSS/LOCATION/TIME

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL	$ LOSS[1] PER INCIDENT
RESIDENCE			
NIGHT (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.)	14,115	28.9	$762.65
DAY (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	11,563	23.7	802.60
TIME UNKNOWN	8,261	16.9	917.34
NON-RESIDENCE			
NIGHT (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.)	8,740	17.9	694.58
DAY (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	1,750	3.6	721.26
TIME UNKNOWN	4,440	9.1	935.30
UNKNOWN	2,956	-	-
TOTAL	51,825	100.0	800.35
1984 TOTAL STATE LOSS ESTIMATE[2] = $41,478,138			

[1] The dollar loss per incident was calculated using only those burglary offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual monetary loss.

[2] This estimate of property loss was calculated by multiplying the total dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 4.5.3

BURGLARY CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	16.9	20.1
1984	15.8	17.1

TABLE 4.5.4

BURGLARY ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL BURGLARY ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	4,672	66.2
	JUVENILES	2,011	28.5
FEMALE	ADULTS	235	3.3
	JUVENILES	138	2.0
TOTAL		7,056	100.0

TABLE 4.5.5

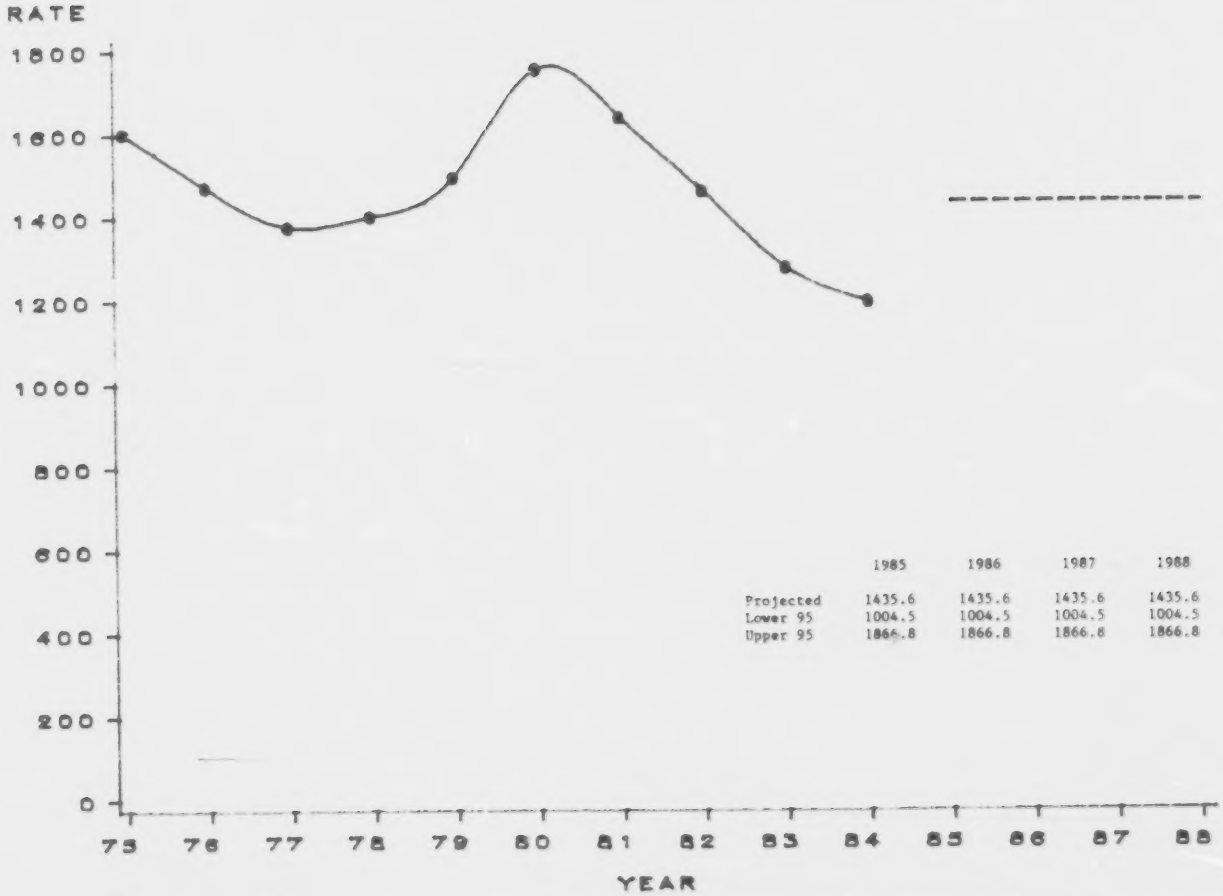
BURGLARY ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL BURGLARY ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	2,797	39.9
	JUVENILES	1,404	20.0
BLACK	ADULTS	2,061	29.4
	JUVENILES	738	10.5
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	5	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	3	0.0
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
UNKNOWN		48	-
TOTAL		7,056	100.0

TABLE 4.5.6

BURGLARY OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI [1]
TIME SERIES



[1] Burglary offense rates are based on the incidence of burglary reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.5.1

4.6 THEFT

DEFINITION

Theft is the unlawful taking, carrying, leading or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. Attempted thefts are also included. This category includes crimes such as shoplifting, pocket-picking, purse-snatching, thefts from motor vehicles, thefts of motor vehicle parts or accessories, bicycle thefts, etc., in which no use of force, violence or fraud occurs. It does not include embezzlement, "con" games, forgery or worthless checks. Motor vehicle theft is also excluded inasmuch as it is a separate crime index offense. Theft offenses are reported on an incident-by-incident basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 112,760 thefts reported during 1984 which was a 4.7 percent decrease from 1983.
- One theft was reported every 4.7 minutes.
- Theft accounted for 55.3 percent of the Total Crime Index and 62.0 percent of all Property Index offenses.
- The theft rate per 100,000 population in 1984 was 2,600.3 compared to 2,685.5 in 1983.
- Of all thefts, 43.6 percent involved the taking of vehicle parts/accessories or other types of property from a vehicle.
- It is estimated that $34,665,806 in property was stolen in 1984 due to this offense.
- In 1984, 19.6 of every 100 thefts were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 22,686 persons were reported arrested for theft in 1984. Of these, 74.9 percent were adults and 25.1 percent were juveniles.

THEFT SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	118,295	2,685.5
1984	112,760	2,600.3
Percent of Change	- 4.7	- 3.2

THEFT RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	43,780	38.8	4,902.5
100,000-249,999	10,253	9.1	4,118.0
50,000-99,999	6,651	5.9	3,385.2
25,000-49,999	10,316	9.1	2,795.4
10,000-24,999	15,161	13.4	2,999.3
2,500-9,999	9,619	8.5	2,218.6
Under 2,500	2,174	1.9	4,937.2
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	11,199	9.9	1,303.9
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	3,607	3.2	458.4
State Total	112,760	100.0	2,600.3

TABLE 4.6.1

THEFT BY VALUE OF STOLEN ITEMS

1984

AMOUNT	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
$200 AND OVER	33,576	31.5
$50 TO $200	30,949	29.0
UNDER $50	42,065	39.5
UNKNOWN	6,170	-
TOTAL	112,760	100.0

TABLE 4.6.2

NATURE OF THEFT

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL	$ LOSS[1] PER INCIDENT
POCKET PICKING	340	0.3	$170.94
PURSE SNATCHING	1,118	1.0	159.93
SHOPLIFTING	15,837	14.9	79.71
FROM MOTOR VEHICLE	17,693	16.6	394.66
MOTOR VEHICLE PARTS & ACC.	28,736	27.0	226.95
BICYCLES	6,062	5.7	148.88
FROM BUILDINGS	12,786	12.0	495.44
COIN OPERATED MACHINES	1,133	1.1	142.94
ALL OTHERS	22,884	21.5	452.43
UNKNOWN	6,171	-	-
TOTAL	112,760	100.0	307.43
1984 TOTAL STATE LOSS ESTIMATE[2] = $34,665,806			

[1]The dollar loss per incident was calculated using only those theft offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual monetary loss.

[2]This estimate of property loss was calculated by multiplying the total dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 4.6.3

THEFT CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	19.2	17.3
1984	19.6	19.1

TABLE 4.6.4

THEFT ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL THEFT ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	12,043	53.1
	JUVENILES	4,254	18.8
FEMALE	ADULTS	4,944	21.8
	JUVENILES	1,445	6.4
TOTAL		22.686	100.0

TABLE 4.6.5

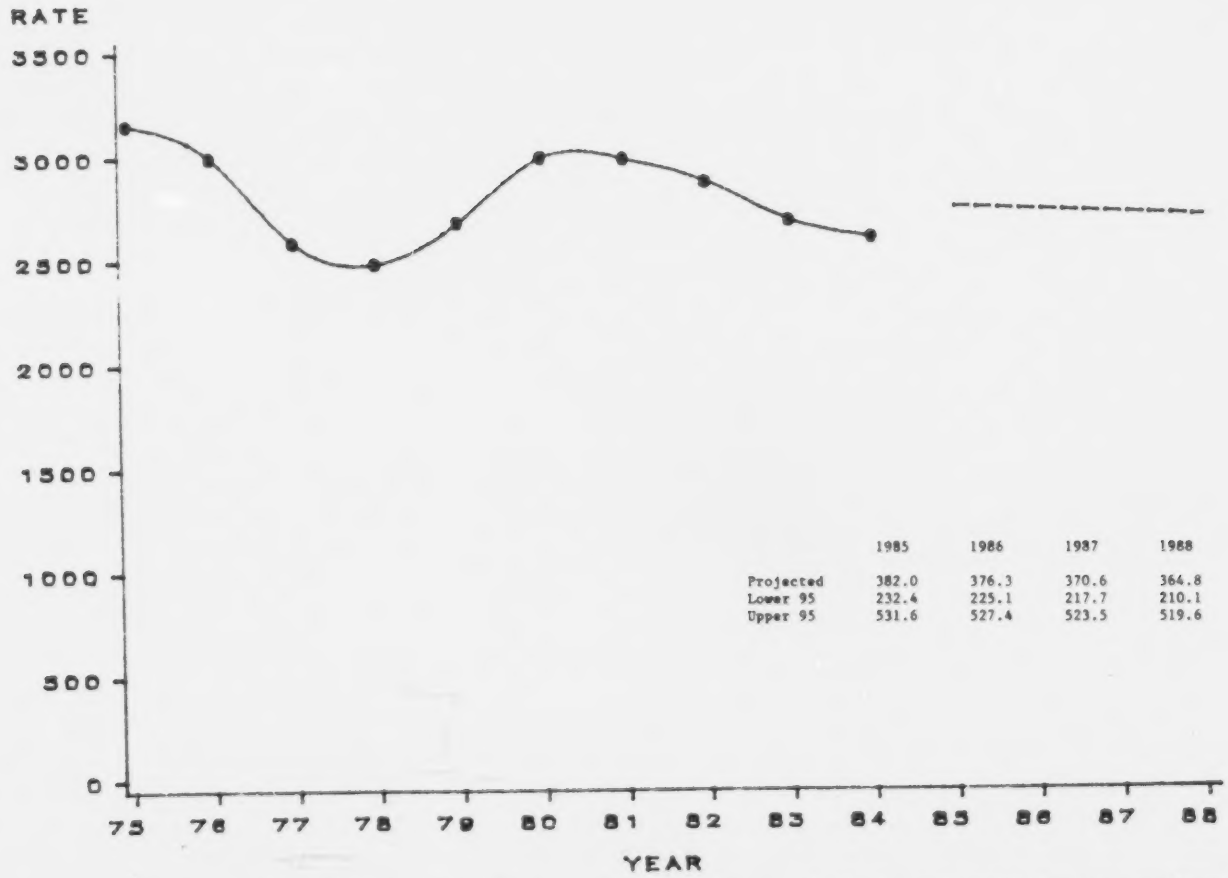
THEFT ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL THEFT ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	8,667	38.3
	JUVENILES	3,420	15.1
BLACK	ADULTS	8,173	36.1
	JUVENILES	2,253	10.0
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	33	0.1
	JUVENILES	3	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	48	0.2
	JUVENILES	16	0.1
UNKNOWN		73	-
TOTAL		22,686	100.0

TABLE 4.6.6

THEFT OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1] Theft offense rates are based on the incidence of theft reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.6.1

4.7 MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

DEFINITION

Motor vehicle theft is the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. By definition, a motor vehicle is a self-propelled vehicle that runs on the surface and not on rails. Motor vehicles include automobiles, trucks, buses, motorcycles, motor scooters, snowmobiles, etc. Motor vehicle theft offenses are reported on a per vehicle basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 15,776 motor vehicle thefts reported during 1984 which was a 4.8 percent increase over 1983.
- One motor vehicle theft was reported every 33.4 minutes.
- Motor vehicle theft accounted for 7.7 percent of the Total Crime Index and 8.7 percent of all Property Index offenses.
- The motor vehicle theft rate per 100,000 population was 363.8 in 1984 compared to 341.8 in 1983.
- Of vehicles stolen in 1984, it is estimated that 65.3 percent were recovered.
- It is estimated that the cost of vehicles stolen in 1984 was $73,968,458.
- In 1984, 14.1 of every 100 motor vehicle thefts were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 1,407 persons were reported arrested for motor vehicle theft in 1984. Of these, 65.2 percent were adults and 34.8 percent were juveniles.

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	15,055	341.8
1984	15,776	363.8
Percent of Change	+ 4.8	+ 6.4

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	9,534	60.4	1,067.6
100,000-249,999	730	4.6	293.2
50,000-99,999	356	2.3	181.2
25,000-49,999	901	5.7	244.1
10,000-24,999	1,351	8.6	267.3
2,500-9,999	848	5.4	195.6
Under 2,500	137	0.9	311.1
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	1,582	10.0	184.2
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	337	2.1	42.8
State Total	15,776	100.0	363.8

TABLE 4.7.1

TYPE OF VEHICLE STOLEN

1984

TYPE	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL
AUTOMOBILES	11,928	75.6
TRUCKS AND BUSES	2,351	14.9
OTHER VEHICLES	1,489	9.4
UNKNOWN	8	-
TOTAL	15,776	100.0

TABLE 4.7.2

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT YEARLY LOSS

1983-1984

YEAR	$ LOSS[1] PER INCIDENT	ESTIMATED PERCENT[2] RECOVERED
1983	$4,145.21	67.6
1984	$4,688.67	65.3
1984 TOTAL STATE LOSS ESTIMATE[3] = $73,968,458		

[1]The dollar loss per incident was calculated using only those motor vehicle theft offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual monetary loss.

[2]The estimated percent recovered was calculated using those motor vehicle theft offenses in which a motor vehicle was stolen locally and was recovered either locally or otherwise.

[3]This estimate of property loss was calculated by multiplying the total dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 4.7.3

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	15.9	12.2
1984	14.1	16.7

TABLE 4.7.4

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	850	60.4
	JUVENILES	443	31.5
FEMALE	ADULTS	68	4.8
	JUVENILES	46	3.3
TOTAL		1,407	100.0

TABLE 4.7.5

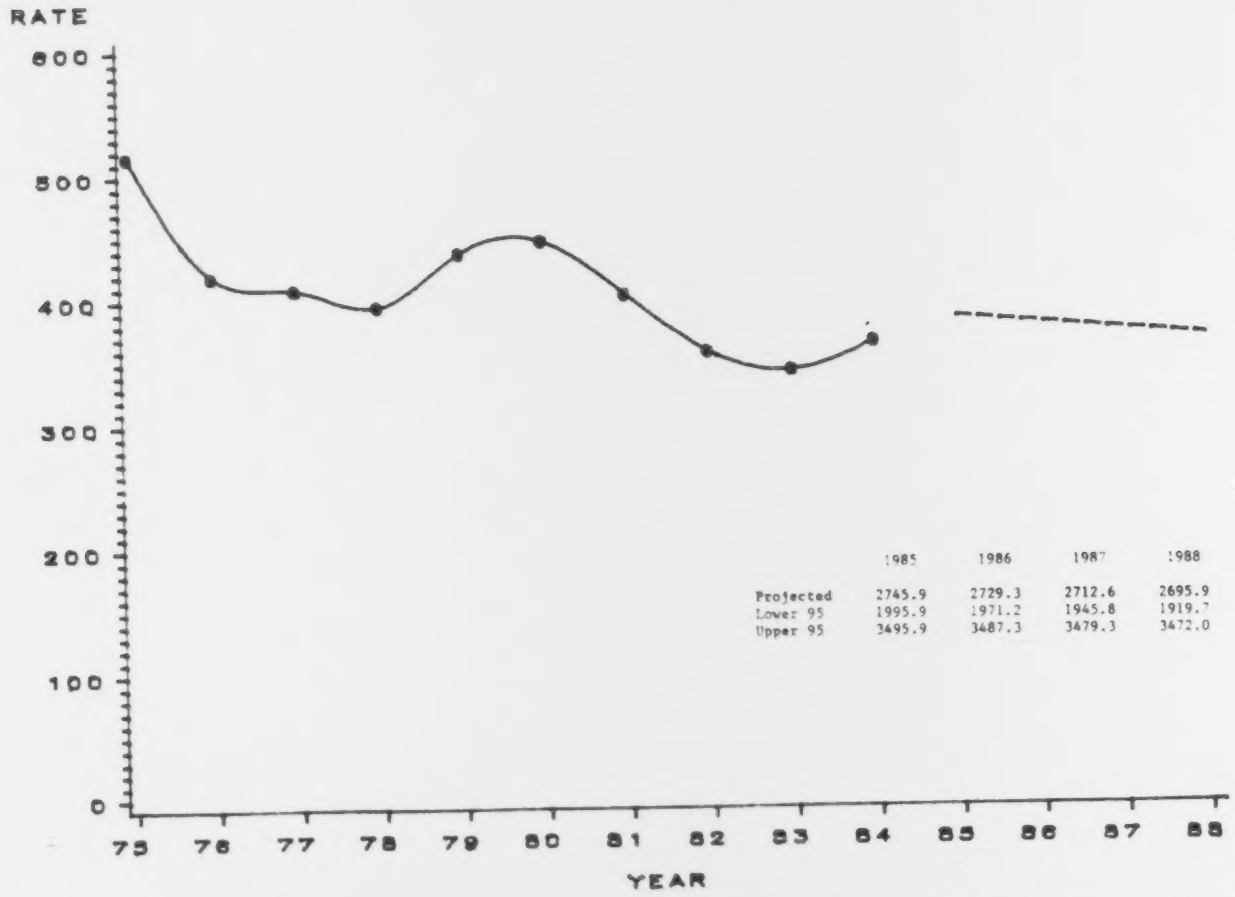
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	460	32.9
	JUVENILES	280	20.0
BLACK	ADULTS	448	32.0
	JUVENILES	209	14.9
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	2	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
OTHER	ADULTS	1	0.1
	JUVENILES	0	0.0
UNKNOWN		7	-
TOTAL		1,407	100.0

TABLE 4.7.6

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT OFFENSE RATES, STATE OF MISSOURI[1]
TIME SERIES



[1]Motor Vehicle Theft offense rates are based on the incidence of motor vehicle theft reported by law enforcement agencies in relation to their share of the State's population. They are computed on a per 100,000 population basis.

FIGURE 4.7.1

4.8 ARSON

DEFINITION

Arson is defined by the Uniform Crime Reporting Program as any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc. Only fires determined through investigation to have been willfully or maliciously set are classified as arsons. Fires of suspicious or unknown origins are excluded. Arson offenses are reported on an incident-by-incident basis.

1984 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- There were 1,648 arsons reported during 1984 which was a 5.1 percent increase over 1983.
- One arson was reported every 5.3 hours.
- Arsons accounted for 0.8 percent of the Total Crime Index and 0.9 percent of all Property Index offenses.
- The arson rate per 100,000 population in 1984 was 38.1 compared to 35.9 in 1983.
- Residential dwellings accounted for 44.4 percent of all types of property destroyed by arson. Motor vehicles accounted for 24.2 percent.
- It is estimated that arson accounted for $28,966,270 in property loss in 1984.
- In 1984, 20.7 of every 100 arsons were cleared by arrest or exceptional means.
- 320 persons were reported arrested for arson in 1984. Of these, 70.9 percent were adults and 29.1 percent were juveniles.

ARSON SUMMARY: 1983 and 1984

Year	Number of Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1983	1,568	35.9
1984	1,648	38.1
Percent of Change	+ 5.1	+ 6.1

ARSON RATES BY POPULATION GROUP

1984

POPULATION GROUP	REPORTED	PERCENT OF TOTAL	RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION
Police Agencies			
250,000 +	828	50.2	92.7
100,000-249,999	114	6.9	45.8
50,000-99,999	61	3.7	31.0
25,000-49,999	118	7.2	32.0
10,000-24,999	109	6.6	21.6
2,500-9,999	72	4.4	16.6
Under 2,500	46	2.8	114.5
Sheriff's Dept./ County Police Suburban	222	13.5	25.8
Sheriff's Dept. Rural	78	4.7	10.0
State Total	1,648	100.0	38.1

TABLE 4.8.1

ARSON LOSS BY TYPE OF PROPERTY

1984

PROPERTY	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL	$ LOSS[1] PER INCIDENT
STRUCTURES			
Single Occupancy Dwelling	475	28.8	$11,476.73
Other Residential	256	15.5	18,255.39
Storage	98	5.9	29,401.02
Industrial/Manufacturing	11	0.7	866,836.67
Other Commercial	147	8.9	42,057.22
Community/Public	70	4.2	16,655.14
All Other Structures or Type of Structure Not Known	70	4.2	1,061.64
MOBILE			
Motor Vehicle	398	24.2	3,079.64
All Mobile Property or Type of Mobile Property Known	24	1.5	6,382.35
OTHER			
Other Property or Type of Property Not Known	99	6.0	1,287.97
TOTAL	1,648	100.0	17,576.62
1984 TOTAL STATE LOSS ESTIMATE[2] = $28,966,270			

[1] The dollar loss per incident was calculated using only those arson offenses for which law enforcement agencies reported an actual monetary loss.

[2] This estimate of property loss was calculated by multiplying the total dollar loss per offense by the total number of such offenses that were reported in 1984.

TABLE 4.8.2

ARSON CLEARANCE RATES

1983-1984

YEAR	PERCENT CLEARED	% OF CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES
1983	22.5	19.8
1984	20.7	21.0

TABLE 4.8.3

ARSON ARRESTS BY SEX AND AGE GROUP

1984

SEX	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ARSON ARRESTS
MALE	ADULTS	201	62.8
	JUVENILES	88	27.5
FEMALE	ADULTS	26	8.1
	JUVENILES	5	1.6
TOTAL		320	100.0

TABLE 4.8.4

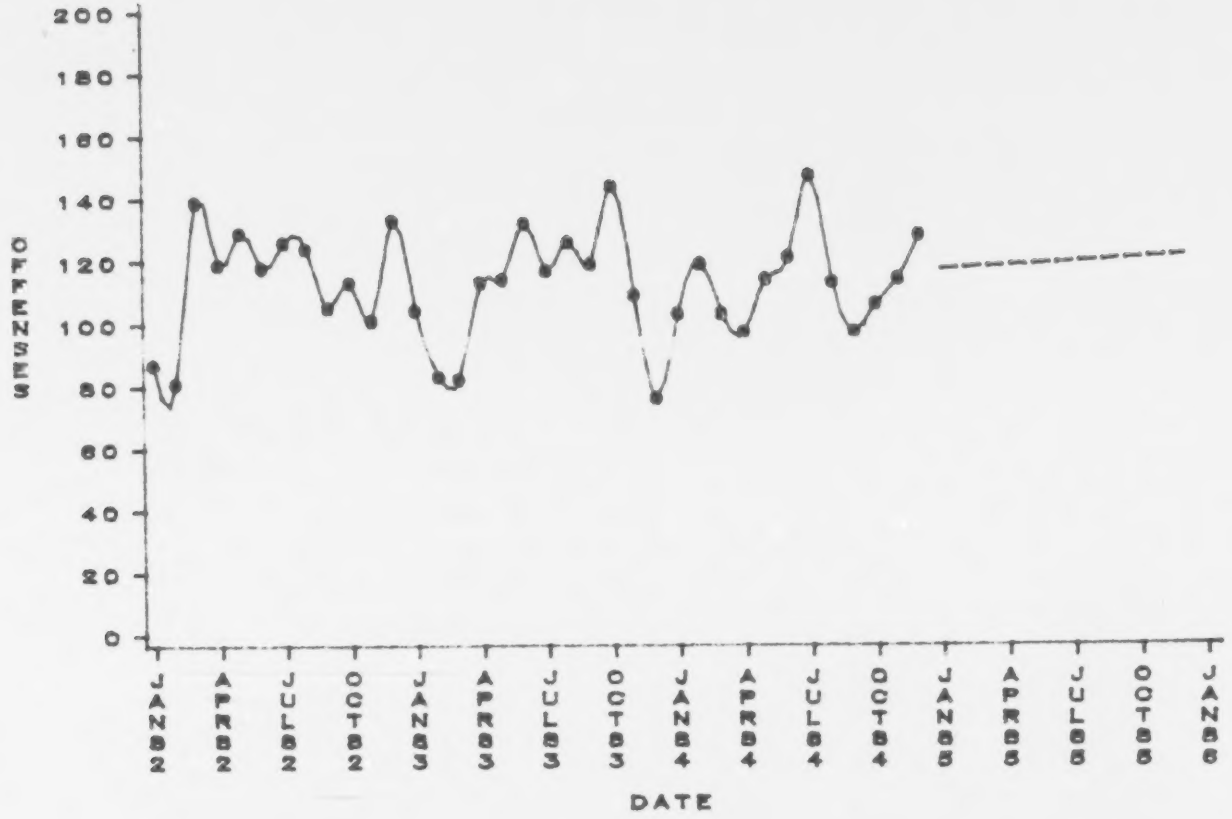
ARSON ARRESTS BY RACE AND AGE GROUP

1984

RACE	AGE GROUPS	REPORTED	% OF TOTAL ARSON ARRESTS
WHITE	ADULTS	156	49.4
	JUVENILES	84	26.6
BLACK	ADULTS	64	20.3
	JUVENILES	8	2.5
AMERICAN INDIAN	ADULTS	3	0.9
	JUVENILES	1	0.3
UNKNOWN		4	-
TOTAL		320	100.0

TABLE 4.8.5

ARSON OFFENSES, STATE OF MISSOURI
TIME SERIES



[1]Rates were not used for the arson time series projection due to the limited amount of data available. To eliminate the problem of both non-reporting and incomplete reporting, only arson activity for those law enforcement agencies which completely reported from 1982 - 1984 were included in this time series projection. As a result, this time series should only be used to assess the trend associated with this type of offense.

FIGURE 4.8.1

5.0 MISSOURI LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY CRIME AND ARREST ANALYSIS

A SERIES OF TABLES SUMMARIZES CRIME INDEX OFFENSE AND ARREST ACTIVITY ASSOCIATED WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT JURISDICTIONS IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI. THESE DATA DISPLAYS PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF THE EXTENT OF THE CRIME PROBLEM WITHIN MISSOURI COMMUNITIES.

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, MUNICIPALITIES 25,000 AND OVER

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
BLUE SPRINGS	12	28026	968	3453.9	32	0	6	4	22	936	188	675	61	12
CAPE GIRARDEAU	12	34691	2024	5800.9	101	2	6	30	63	1923	376	1432	98	17
COLUMBIA	12	64054	4453	6951.9	255	4	21	47	183	4198	1088	2955	129	26
FLORISSANT	12	55955	969	1731.7	28	0	3	6	19	941	167	730	43	1
GLADSTONE	12	25601	699	2730.4	46	0	2	9	35	653	166	424	58	5
GRANDVIEW	12	25082	1310	5222.9	70	0	11	16	43	1240	328	835	67	10
INDEPENDENCE	12	112938	5444	4820.3	337	7	23	87	220	5107	1238	3509	316	44
JEFFERSON CITY	12	34984	1228	3510.2	72	0	9	13	50	1156	243	865	43	5
JOPLIN	12	39916	2979	7463.2	86	2	13	32	39	2893	735	2033	114	11
KANSAS CITY	12	450489	45848	10177.4	7167	88	372	2440	4267	38681	11182	22729	4338	432
KIRKWOOD	12	28170	968	3436.3	40	0	6	21	13	928	253	613	59	3
LEE'S SUMMIT	12	30946	854	2759.6	36	2	4	11	19	818	209	533	62	14
RAYTOWN	12	31740	931	2933.2	56	2	3	25	26	875	234	568	68	5
SAINT CHARLES	12	46450	1799	3873.0	102	1	10	20	71	1697	404	1162	109	22
SAINT JOSEPH	12	76466	4897	6404.2	219	2	17	42	158	4678	1494	2966	184	34
SAINT LOUIS	12	442528	47628	10762.7	7729	128	349	3112	4140	39899	13256	21051	5196	396
SPRINGFIELD	12	136044	9759	7173.4	354	13	42	135	164	9405	2177	6744	414	70
UNIVERSITY CITY	12	43234	2337	5405.5	239	5	25	93	116	2098	746	1176	162	14
TOTAL	-	1707514	135095	7911.8	16969	256	922	6143	9646	118126	34484	71000	11521	1121

TABLE 5.0.1

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, MUNICIPALITIES UNDER 25,000

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
ARNOLD	12	19590	577	2945.4	28	0	3	5	20	549	117	392	36	4
AURORA	12	6477	209	3226.8	10	0	2	0	8	199	39	142	16	2
BALLWIN	12	13198	391	2962.6	12	0	0	2	10	379	75	285	19	0
BEL-NOR	12	2112	46	2178.0	4	0	0	0	4	42	11	26	4	1
BEL-RIDGE	12	3869	161	4161.3	26	0	3	9	14	135	40	81	12	2
BELLEFONTAINE NBRS	12	11940	395	3308.2	5	0	0	4	1	390	38	325	27	0
BELTON	12	13389	460	3435.7	42	0	4	2	36	418	72	327	15	4
BERKELEY	12	16309	795	4874.6	82	3	9	18	52	713	278	327	100	8
BOLIVAR	12	6131	35	570.9	5	0	0	1	4	30	13	14	2	1
BONNE TERRE	7	4016	34	846.6	2	0	0	1	1	32	7	23	2	0
BOONVILLE	12	7044	287	4074.4	33	0	0	0	33	254	51	187	7	9
BRANSON	12	2658	249	9367.9	11	0	2	0	9	238	34	191	12	1
BRECKENRIDGE HILLS	12	5663	224	3955.5	8	0	0	1	7	216	25	181	10	0
BRENTWOOD	12	8450	277	3278.1	8	0	1	6	1	269	91	160	18	0
BRIDGETON	12	18094	883	4880.1	52	0	3	11	36	831	151	578	101	1
BROOKFIELD	12	5649	103	1923.3	10	0	0	0	10	93	27	59	4	3
BUTLER	12	4061	215	5294.3	31	0	1	0	30	184	73	101	9	1
CALVERTON PARK	12	1746	22	1260.0	2	0	0	1	1	20	10	8	2	0
CAMERON	12	4636	183	3947.4	19	0	0	1	18	164	36	117	11	0
CANTON	12	2575	51	1980.6	3	0	0	0	3	48	8	38	1	1
CARROLLTON	12	4600	139	3021.7	9	0	0	0	9	130	31	96	3	0
CARTHAGE	12	11377	422	3709.2	31	0	4	3	24	391	84	297	5	5
CENTRALIA	12	3665	95	2592.1	3	0	0	0	3	92	25	65	1	1
CHAFFEE	12	3179	76	2390.7	4	0	0	1	3	72	11	59	2	0
CHARLACK	12	1574	53	3367.2	5	0	1	1	3	48	13	29	5	1
CHILLICOTHE	12	9331	272	2915.0	11	0	0	3	8	261	72	174	14	1
CLARKSON VALLEY	12	1470	30	2040.8	0	0	0	0	0	30	13	17	0	0
CLAYCOMO	12	1719	104	6050.0	2	0	0	0	2	102	17	77	7	1
CLAYTON	12	14213	974	6852.9	50	0	2	9	39	924	238	645	34	7
CLINTON	12	8474	299	3528.4	31	0	2	1	28	268	54	203	10	1
COUNTRY CLUB HILLS	10	1353	35	2586.8	3	0	0	0	3	32	5	21	3	3
CRESTWOOD	12	12730	337	2647.3	11	0	0	8	3	326	52	241	33	0
CREVE COEUR	12	11767	373	3212.4	15	0	0	4	11	363	87	225	51	0
CRYSTAL CITY	12	3648	182	4989.0	10	0	2	0	8	172	42	116	13	1
DE SOTO	12	6276	181	2884.0	1	0	1	0	0	180	47	116	17	0
DELLWOOD	12	6409	179	2792.9	15	0	0	3	12	164	24	122	18	0
DES PERES	12	8185	371	4532.7	7	0	1	1	5	364	76	264	21	3
EDMUNDSON	12	1477	77	5213.3	5	0	0	2	3	72	13	37	22	0
ELLISVILLE	12	6667	128	1919.9	12	0	1	0	11	116	34	72	10	0
EUREKA	12	3976	150	3772.6	6	0	0	4	2	144	29	108	7	0
EXCELSIOR SPRINGS	12	10571	470	4446.1	27	0	0	4	23	443	119	310	14	0
FARMINGTON	12	8130	363	4464.9	30	0	2	2	26	333	67	250	14	2
FENTON	12	2393	323	13497.7	36	0	1	4	31	287	39	222	26	0
FERGUSON	12	24388	997	4088.1	48	1	5	19	23	949	268	569	89	3
FESTUS	4	8001	77	962.4	8	0	0	0	8	69	13	51	5	0
FLAT RIVER	12	4258	148	3475.8	0	0	0	0	0	148	31	104	13	0
FRONTENAC	12	3588	73	2034.6	0	0	0	0	0	73	11	60	2	0

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, MUNICIPALITIES UNDER 25,000

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
FULTON	12	10672	389	3645.1	64	0	2	4	58	325	63	255	7	0
GLENDALE	12	6053	48	793.0	0	0	0	0	0	48	28	18	2	0
GRAIN VALLEY	12	1472	93	6317.9	10	0	0	1	9	83	18	61	2	2
HANLEY HILLS	12	2521	41	1626.3	7	0	0	0	7	34	3	29	2	0
HANNIBAL	12	19299	1087	5632.4	76	0	4	7	65	1011	228	751	27	5
HARRISONVILLE	12	6658	319	4791.2	11	0	0	2	9	308	50	236	19	3
HAZELWOOD	12	16036	637	3972.3	21	0	1	7	13	616	165	381	67	3
HERMANN	12	2849	37	1298.7	5	0	0	0	5	32	12	17	3	0
HILLSDALE	12	2197	190	8648.2	37	0	6	4	27	153	73	53	3	24
IRONTON	12	1781	27	1516.0	1	0	0	0	1	26	10	12	4	0
JACKSON	12	8156	143	1753.3	25	0	2	0	23	118	25	82	10	1
JENNINGS	12	17164	1058	6164.1	83	1	1	32	49	975	216	673	35	1
KEARNEY	12	1500	39	2600.0	7	0	0	0	7	32	6	25	1	0
KENNETT	12	10351	453	4376.4	98	2	5	1	90	355	69	263	23	0
KIRKSVILLE	12	17394	680	3909.4	23	0	3	2	18	657	105	528	22	2
LADUE	12	9368	243	2593.9	4	0	0	0	4	239	48	179	11	1
LAKE SAINT LOUIS	12	4221	191	4525.0	22	0	0	0	22	169	59	103	7	0
LAMAR	12	4023	56	1392.0	1	0	0	0	1	55	19	31	4	1
LEBANON	12	9710	543	5592.2	12	0	0	2	10	531	94	402	30	5
LEXINGTON	12	4972	91	1830.2	18	0	0	1	17	73	12	51	10	0
LIBERTY	12	17258	501	2903.0	37	0	2	10	25	464	156	268	34	6
LOUISIANA	12	4301	58	1348.5	1	0	0	0	1	57	22	31	3	1
MACON	12	5986	116	1937.9	7	0	1	1	5	109	17	89	3	0
MANCHESTER	12	6428	167	2598.0	13	0	0	1	12	154	33	116	5	0
MAPLEWOOD	12	10583	652	6160.8	105	2	5	15	83	547	102	406	38	1
MARCELINE	12	3117	18	577.5	4	0	0	0	4	14	4	10	0	0
MARSHALL	12	13021	391	3002.8	21	2	2	0	17	370	114	244	6	6
MARYVILLE	12	9918	328	3307.1	4	0	3	0	1	324	34	280	9	1
MEXICO	12	12377	363	2932.9	15	0	0	4	11	348	50	281	16	1
MOBERLY	12	13417	431	3212.3	28	0	2	1	25	403	59	321	21	2
NEOSHO	12	9643	342	3546.6	16	0	0	1	15	326	43	267	16	0
NEVADA	12	9107	456	5007.1	33	0	1	1	31	423	84	324	13	2
NEWBURG	12	769	7	910.3	2	0	0	0	2	5	4	1	0	0
NORMANDY	12	5153	303	5880.1	35	2	0	11	22	268	72	172	24	0
NORTH KANSAS CITY	12	4322	500	11568.7	23	0	2	10	11	477	80	359	37	1
NORTHWOODS	12	5819	269	4622.8	31	0	1	5	25	238	36	166	33	3
O'FALLON	12	9368	494	5273.3	47	0	1	3	43	447	72	353	20	2
OAKLAND	12	1733	47	2712.1	2	0	0	0	2	45	24	20	1	0
ODESSA	12	3102	64	2063.2	2	2	0	0	0	62	10	49	2	1
OLIVETTE	12	7988	204	2553.8	26	0	2	3	21	178	62	107	9	0
OVERLAND	12	19286	1078	5589.5	58	0	4	31	23	1020	211	743	64	2
PACIFIC	12	4694	200	4260.8	27	0	1	2	24	173	46	114	9	4
PARKVILLE	12	2201	94	4270.8	3	0	0	0	3	91	19	69	2	1
PASADENA HILLS	12	1227	5	407.5	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	3	1	0
PASADENA PARK	12	513	3	584.8	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	0
PEVELY	12	2759	133	4820.6	11	0	2	1	8	122	17	89	15	1
PINE LAWN	11	6783	74	1091.0	26	0	2	3	21	48	20	19	3	0
PLATTSBURG	12	2106	80	3798.7	10	0	1	0	9	70	14	54	2	-

TABLE 5.0.2

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, MUNICIPALITIES UNDER 25,000

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
PLEASANT HILL	12	3409	56	1642.7	4	0	1	0	3	52	17	33	2	0
POPLAR BLUFF	12	17167	1666	9704.7	211	2	6	34	169	1455	509	869	62	15
POTOSI	12	2560	116	4531.3	17	0	1	1	15	99	15	77	7	0
REPUBLIC	12	4801	142	2957.7	1	0	0	0	1	141	43	94	4	0
RICHMOND	12	5586	229	4099.5	10	0	0	2	8	219	54	152	12	1
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	12	11436	486	4249.7	36	1	2	17	16	450	74	343	29	4
RIVERSIDE	12	3400	192	5647.1	13	1	1	2	9	179	36	105	36	2
RIVERVIEW	12	3314	57	1720.0	7	0	0	0	7	50	14	29	7	0
ROCK HILL	11	5691	98	1722.0	9	0	4	2	3	89	42	45	2	0
ROLLA	12	13855	757	5463.7	33	1	1	7	24	724	117	584	22	1
SAINT ANN	12	15504	1050	6772.4	54	0	3	14	37	996	113	719	164	0
SAINT GEORGE	12	1568	28	1785.7	0	0	0	0	0	28	2	16	9	1
SAINT JOHN	12	8020	319	3977.6	44	0	2	7	35	275	100	156	19	0
SAINT PETERS	12	18161	713	3926.0	20	0	1	9	10	693	133	533	27	0
SAINT ROBERT	12	2047	290	14167.1	83	0	3	4	76	207	56	141	10	0
SAINTE GENEVIEVE	12	4546	86	1891.8	6	0	2	1	3	80	10	66	4	0
SALEM	12	4567	155	3393.9	23	0	0	2	21	132	27	98	7	0
SAVANNAH	12	4418	25	565.9	1	0	0	0	1	24	12	10	2	0
SEDALIA	12	20597	1062	5156.1	42	0	1	5	36	1020	201	768	49	2
SHREWSBURY	12	5152	147	2853.3	5	0	0	0	5	142	28	87	26	1
SIKESTON	12	17755	1091	6144.7	32	1	6	7	18	1059	295	728	26	10
SLATER	12	2641	73	2764.1	14	0	0	0	14	59	17	42	0	0
SMITHVILLE	12	2014	43	2135.1	6	0	0	2	4	37	10	20	7	0
SUGAR CREEK	12	4381	235	5364.1	25	0	0	2	23	210	51	147	12	0
SULLIVAN	12	5546	159	2866.9	10	0	0	1	9	149	23	118	8	0
SUNSET HILLS	12	4441	263	5922.1	9	0	0	5	4	254	60	168	26	0
TOWN AND COUNTRY	12	3285	50	1522.1	0	0	0	0	0	50	16	30	2	2
TRENTON	12	6750	142	2103.7	6	0	0	0	6	136	30	100	6	0
UNIV MO. COLUMBIA	12	0	973	-	12	0	6	2	4	961	106	839	8	8
UNIV MO. ST LOUIS	12	0	118	-	0	0	0	0	0	118	0	117	0	1
VALLEY PARK	12	3277	140	4272.2	21	1	0	2	18	119	36	67	15	1
VANDALIA	12	3042	40	1314.9	1	0	0	0	1	39	6	33	0	0
VINITA PARK	6	2199	14	636.7	3	0	0	0	3	11	2	8	1	0
WARRENSBURG	12	13078	934	7141.8	20	0	7	3	10	914	201	692	12	9
WARSON WOODS	12	2198	31	1410.4	3	0	0	2	1	28	15	12	1	0
WASHINGTON	12	9569	291	3041.1	56	0	2	1	53	235	53	167	14	1
WASHINGTON UNIV.	12	0	305	-	1	0	0	1	0	304	16	274	12	2
WEBB CITY	12	7561	178	2354.2	0	0	0	0	0	178	25	144	8	1
WEBSTER GROVES	12	23511	563	2394.6	24	0	0	18	6	539	216	290	26	7
WELLSTON	11	4409	356	8074.4	50	2	6	8	34	306	134	139	30	3
WENTZVILLE	12	3707	511	13784.7	20	0	1	2	17	491	59	404	28	0
WEST PLAINS	12	7718	166	2150.8	5	0	0	2	3	161	32	118	8	3
WESTON	12	1470	13	884.4	1	0	0	0	1	12	6	3	2	1
WESTWOOD	12	330	6	1818.2	0	0	0	0	0	6	4	2	0	0
WINCHESTER	12	1962	22	1121.3	2	0	0	0	2	20	13	6	1	0
WOODSON TERRACE	12	5132	196	3819.2	14	0	0	7	7	182	28	143	10	1
TOTAL	-	983079	40860	4156.3	2839	24	162	469	2184	38021	8504	26954	2336	227

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REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
BOONE	12	37508	607	1618.3	77	1	2	6	68	530	220	287	21	2
BUCHANAN	12	11383	237	2082.1	21	0	0	2	19	216	115	88	13	0
CASS	12	28993	337	1162.3	13	1	3	1	8	324	142	163	18	1
CLAY	12	14830	248	1672.3	36	0	6	1	29	212	110	86	13	3
FRANKLIN	12	49097	856	1743.5	50	4	7	3	36	806	308	439	47	12
GREENE	12	49102	878	1788.1	106	0	8	3	95	772	243	487	35	7
JACKSON	9	25405	3	11.8						3				3
JASPER	12	33226	354	1065.4	63	1	1	2	59	291	95	169	27	0
LAFAYETTE	12	22210	192	864.5	15	3	0	2	10	177	65	100	9	3
NEWTON	12	29485	446	1512.6	39	0	2	6	31	407	121	269	11	6
PLATTE	12	25288	307	1214.0	25	1	2	3	19	282	109	160	13	0
RAY	12	16107	147	912.6	23	0	0	2	21	124	43	78	1	2
SAINT CHARLES	12	73663	1609	2184.3	240	3	7	9	221	1369	443	796	118	12
SAINT LOUIS POLICE	12	444896	14416	3240.3	931	11	68	235	617	13485	3981	8077	1256	171
TOTAL	-	884297	20637	2333.7	1639	25	106	275	1233	18998	5995	11199	1582	222

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CRIME INDEX OFFENSES, RURAL COUNTIES

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REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
ADAIR	10	7972	38	476.7	5	0	0	2	3	33	9	19	5	0
ANDREW	12	10182	134	1316.0	2	0	1	0	1	132	38	65	4	25
ATCHISON	12	8924	76	851.6	7	0	1	1	5	69	7	54	7	1
AUDRAIN	11	11117	109	980.5	2	1	1	0	0	107	31	75	1	-
BARRY	12	20948	240	1145.7	18	0	3	0	15	222	65	141	16	0
BARTON	12	7344	122	1661.2	1	0	0	0	1	121	44	64	10	3
BATES	12	10228	143	1398.1	15	0	0	1	14	128	50	67	10	1
BENTON	12	12309	160	1299.9	11	1	1	0	9	149	63	82	4	3
BOLLINGER	12	10474	145	1384.4	2	0	0	1	1	143	62	70	10	1
CALDWELL	12	8562	75	876.0	0	0	0	0	0	75	26	46	3	0
CAMDEN	12	21386	512	2394.1	51	3	5	1	42	461	229	201	29	2
CAPE GIRARDEAU	12	17404	178	1022.8	10	0	1	0	9	168	89	69	8	2
CARROLL	12	7389	82	1109.8	2	0	0	0	2	80	34	41	5	0
CEDAR	12	12280	122	993.5	9	1	1	0	7	113	41	58	14	0
CHARITON	10	10614	71	668.9	3	0	1	0	2	68	13	54	0	1
COLE	12	24743	331	1337.8	60	2	1	3	54	271	105	157	9	0
CRAWFORD	12	17718	174	982.1	12	1	0	1	10	162	88	74	0	0
DADE	11	7509	49	652.6	3	1	0	0	2	46	18	20	7	1
DAVIESS	12	8931	74	828.6	1	0	0	0	1	73	35	35	3	0
DE KALB	12	7608	56	736.1	0	0	0	0	0	56	22	33	0	1
DOUGLAS	12	12198	82	672.2	7	0	0	0	7	75	67	0	8	-
DUNKLIN	12	19998	50	250.0	7	0	1	0	6	43	13	30	0	0
GASCONADE	12	10656	36	337.8	0	0	0	0	0	36	21	13	2	-
GENTRY	1	8058	4	49.6	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	1	0	0
GRUNDY	12	5175	48	927.5	2	0	1	0	1	46	19	27	0	0
HENRY	12	11249	134	1191.2	2	0	1	0	1	132	60	67	5	0
HOLT	12	6875	101	1469.1	2	0	0	1	1	99	54	44	1	0
HOWARD	6	7223	7	96.9	1	0	0	0	1	6	1	4	1	0
IRON	12	9480	19	200.4	7	0	2	0	5	12	3	5	3	1
JOHNSON	12	25950	238	917.1	3	1	0	0	2	235	107	123	5	0
KNOX	2	5502	4	72.7	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	-
LACLEDE	12	15230	237	1546.0	29	0	4	4	21	208	81	115	11	1
LAWRENCE	6	20931	107	511.2	7	0	0	0	7	100	37	54	9	0
LEWIS	11	8863	82	925.2	2	0	0	0	2	80	26	53	0	1
LIVINGSTON	12	6587	84	1275.2	8	1	1	0	6	76	25	44	6	1
MADISON	11	10934	28	256.1	2	2	0	0	0	26	23	2	1	0
MARIES	6	7728	8	103.5	0	0	0	0	0	8	4	4	0	0
MARION	12	10262	52	506.7	0	0	0	0	0	52	20	29	3	0
MCDONALD	12	15212	123	808.6	24	1	2	2	19	99	40	53	4	2
MONITEAU	10	9107	36	395.3	3	0	0	3	0	33	13	19	1	-
MONTGOMERY	12	11669	210	1799.6	28	1	0	2	25	182	68	91	23	0
MORGAN	11	14456	292	2019.9	32	1	0	1	30	260	121	116	20	3
NODAWAY	12	12667	282	2226.3	6	1	0	0	5	276	61	204	8	3
OREGON	12	10193	59	578.8	10	0	0	1	9	49	32	11	6	0
OSAGE	12	12204	46	376.9	0	0	0	0	0	46	22	22	1	1
PEMISCOT	12	25164	86	341.8	10	1	3	0	6	76	40	31	3	2
PERRY	12	17109	201	1174.8	21	0	1	0	20	180	74	100	6	1

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REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	CRIME INDEX		VIOLENT CRIME					PROPERTY CRIME				
			TOTAL	RATE/ 100,000	TOTAL	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGG. ASLT	TOTAL	BURGLARY	THEFT	M.V. THEFT	ARSON
PIKE	12	10304	69	669.6	7	1	0	0	6	62	39	21	2	0
PULASKI	12	42320	136	321.4	20	2	5	1	12	116	63	42	8	3
RANDOLPH	11	12394	143	1153.8	8	0	4	0	4	135	46	83	6	0
REYNOLDS	12	7287	116	1591.9	1	1	0	0	0	115	50	63	1	1
RIPLEY	12	12682	53	417.9	1	0	0	0	1	52	20	31	0	1
SAINT FRANCOIS	12	26517	345	1301.1	38	1	1	0	36	307	125	162	17	3
SAINTE GENEVIEVE	12	10887	173	1589.1	4	0	0	1	3	169	45	113	9	2
SALINE	12	9590	154	1605.8	20	2	1	1	16	134	69	63	1	1
SCHUYLER	12	4971	27	543.2	5	0	0	3	2	22	21	1	0	0
SCOTLAND	12	5506	11	199.8	1	0	1	0	0	10	3	4	0	3
SCOTT	12	20080	161	801.8	20	1	2	1	16	141	61	74	3	3
SHELBY	12	7878	70	888.6	3	0	0	0	3	67	31	34	2	0
VERNON	12	10766	205	1904.1	7	0	3	0	4	198	85	104	8	1
WARREN	12	15951	1	6.3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
WEBSTER	12	21097	194	919.6	16	1	4	2	9	178	70	94	12	2
WORTH	11	3104	39	1256.4	2	0	0	1	1	37	8	29	0	0
TOTAL	-	825000	7444	902.3	580	28	53	34	465	6864	2842	3607	337	78

TABLE 5.0.4

TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED, MUNICIPALITIES 25,000 AND OVER

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REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	TOTAL ARRESTS[1]	TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	ARSON	TOTAL[1] PART II ARRESTS
BLUE SPRINGS	12	28026	1273	153	-	2	2	7	28	97	13	4	1120
CAPE GIRARDEAU	12	34891	2447	451	2	4	7	21	49	348	14	6	1996
COLUMBIA	12	64054	2426	899	5	9	14	68	97	669	34	3	1527
FLORISSANT	12	55955	1179	303	-	2	2	17	90	165	26	1	876
GLADSTONE	12	25601	705	94	-	1	-	9	35	40	9	-	611
GRANDVIEW	12	25092	939	211	-	3	3	14	45	131	10	5	728
INDEPENDENCE	12	112938	3877	804	9	6	16	28	149	564	31	1	3073
JEFFERSON CITY	12	34934	817	230	-	3	5	16	21	174	6	5	587
JOPLIN	12	39916	2096	667	1	3	11	26	95	503	18	10	1429
KANSAS CITY	12	450489	70763	9743	68	193	544	1343	1119	5901	524	51	61020
KIRKWOOD	11	28170	930	268	-	-	8	10	43	199	6	2	662
LEE'S SUMMIT	12	30946	2142	154	3	1	9	5	24	91	21	-	1988
RAYTOWN	12	31740	823	182	2	3	12	4	33	105	16	6	641
SAINT CHARLES	12	46450	2317	442	2	7	10	35	93	280	12	3	1875
SAINT JOSEPH	12	76466	2361	499	1	3	4	13	106	341	20	11	1862
SAINT LOUIS	12	442528	29396	14224	115	598	1107	5871	1960	4424	73	76	15172
SPRINGFIELD	12	136044	6097	1774	10	17	47	108	272	1265	37	18	4323
UNIVERSITY CITY	12	43234	1689	729	4	7	49	44	151	416	53	5	960
TOTAL	-	1707514	132277	31827	222	862	1851	7639	4410	15713	923	207	100450

[1]Arrests for suspicion are not included in total.

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TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED, MUNICIPALITIES UNDER 25,000

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REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	TOTAL ARRESTS [1]	TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	ARSON	TOTAL PART II ARRESTS [1]
ARNOLD	12	19590	566	142	-	2	6	8	34	85	7	-	424
AURORA	12	6477	251	39	-	4	-	3	4	28	-	-	212
BALLWIN	11	13198	590	196	-	-	-	4	18	171	3	-	394
BEL-NOR	12	2112	67	15	-	-	-	4	4	5	1	1	52
BEL-RIDGE	12	3869	537	53	-	-	3	9	9	26	5	1	484
BELLEFONTAINE NBRS	12	11940	284	249	-	-	-	1	9	239	-	-	35
BELTON	12	13389	1014	136	-	5	-	12	36	81	1	1	878
BERKELEY	12	16309	1444	134	3	1	11	16	64	30	9	-	1310
BOLIVAR	11	6131	31	23	-	-	-	5	10	8	-	-	8
BONNE TERRE	8	4016	119	11	-	-	-	-	3	8	-	-	108
BOONVILLE	12	7044	321	69	-	-	-	14	18	28	5	4	252
BRANSON	12	2658	533	46	-	-	-	1	10	29	5	1	487
BRECKENRIDGE HILLS	9	5663	341	100	-	-	-	8	7	81	4	-	241
BRENTWOOD	11	8450	43	11	-	-	2	-	3	5	1	-	32
BRIDGETON	9	18094	1043	256	-	3	8	6	59	175	4	1	787
BROOKFIELD	11	5649	189	30	-	-	-	7	8	13	1	1	159
BUTLER	11	4061	135	43	-	-	-	9	3	26	5	-	92
CANTON	9	2575	16	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	10
CARROLLTON	12	4600	124	43	-	-	-	8	18	15	2	-	81
CARTHAGE	12	11377	587	103	-	3	2	8	12	71	7	-	484
CENTRALIA	12	3665	21	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	19
CHAFFEE	11	3179	66	19	-	-	1	4	4	10	-	-	47
CHARLACK	12	1574	170	8	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	1	162
CHILLICOTHE	11	9331	100	23	-	-	2	2	6	11	1	1	77
CLARKSON VALLEY	12	1470	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
CLAYCOMO	12	1719	282	31	-	-	-	-	10	21	-	-	251
CLAYTON	12	14213	432	149	-	-	7	6	27	100	7	-	283
CLINTON	12	8474	484	50	-	-	-	16	7	25	2	-	434
COUNTRY CLUB HILLS	9	1353	38	7	-	-	-	1	-	5	1	-	31
CRESTWOOD	12	12730	342	109	2	-	3	3	2	97	2	-	233
CREVE COEUR	11	11767	552	91	-	-	1	4	16	63	7	-	461
CRYSTAL CITY	7	3648	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
DE SOTO	12	6276	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
DELLWOOD	11	6409	67	50	-	-	-	10	7	33	-	-	17
DES PERES	12	8185	200	94	-	-	-	2	5	87	-	-	106
EDMUNDSON	12	1477	169	12	-	-	1	-	3	4	4	-	157
ELLISVILLE	12	6667	57	19	-	-	-	4	3	8	4	-	38
EUREKA	12	3976	95	18	-	-	-	1	3	13	1	-	77
EXCELSIOR SPRINGS	12	10571	545	53	-	1	2	5	17	28	-	-	492
FARMINGTON	12	8130	128	16	-	-	-	4	5	7	-	-	112
FENTON	12	2393	212	64	-	1	3	1	15	41	3	-	148
FERGUSON	12	24388	1002	322	-	1	6	13	71	197	34	-	680
FESTUS	4	8001	116	19	-	-	-	7	-	12	-	-	97
FLAT RIVER	12	4258	218	71	4	-	-	-	11	50	6	-	147
FRONTENAC	12	3589	154	34	-	-	-	-	5	29	-	-	120
FULTON	12	10672	533	68	-	2	1	10	10	42	3	-	465
GLENDALE	12	6053	96	4	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	92

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GRAIN VALLEY	12	1472	58	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	55
GREENDALE	1	902	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
HANLEY HILLS	12	2521	33	18	-	-	-	4	3	7	4	-	15
HANNIBAL	12	19299	913	185	-	-	4	20	37	112	7	5	728
HARRISONVILLE	12	6659	360	58	-	-	1	2	10	39	6	-	302
HAZELWOOD	12	16036	1208	176	-	2	8	13	28	108	16	1	1032
HERMANN	11	2849	87	14	-	-	-	4	3	7	-	-	73
HILLSDALE	12	2197	138	54	-	2	2	19	21	10	-	-	84
IRONTON	12	1781	15	6	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	-	9
JACKSON	12	8156	240	49	-	1	3	13	6	25	-	1	191
JENNINGS	10	17164	807	437	1	-	6	43	33	340	12	1	370
KEARNEY	1	1500	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
KENNETT	12	10351	579	219	1	5	1	79	30	90	13	-	360
KIRKSVILLE	12	17394	649	61	-	-	3	2	6	45	4	1	588
LADUE	11	9368	160	52	-	-	-	2	11	35	4	-	108
LAKE SAINT LOUIS	12	4221	159	19	-	-	-	5	7	5	-	2	140
LAMAR	12	4023	135	9	-	-	-	1	3	5	-	-	126
LEBANON	11	9710	929	202	-	-	-	3	28	157	13	1	727
LEXINGTON	11	4972	10	6	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	4
LIBERTY	12	17258	629	92	-	1	2	16	29	41	2	1	537
LOUISIANA	11	4301	95	5	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	90
MACON	12	5985	250	31	-	-	-	5	12	14	-	-	219
MANCHESTER	12	6428	203	54	-	-	3	10	7	34	-	-	149
MAPLEWOOD	12	10583	891	295	1	4	8	48	15	217	2	-	596
MARCELINE	8	3117	28	13	-	-	-	2	-	11	-	-	15
MARSHALL	7	13021	224	32	2	-	-	1	13	15	-	1	192
MARYVILLE	12	9918	318	67	-	-	-	-	9	58	-	-	251
MOBERLY	12	13417	520	106	-	1	1	7	11	75	11	-	414
NEOSHO	12	9643	195	31	-	-	-	12	-	19	-	-	164
NEVADA	12	9107	949	77	-	-	-	3	13	61	-	-	872
NEWBURG	6	769	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
NORMANDY	12	5153	390	101	4	-	5	24	28	40	-	-	289
NORTHWOODS	12	5819	173	121	-	1	4	16	5	90	5	-	52
O'FALLON	12	9368	424	56	-	1	-	16	12	24	2	1	368
OAKLAND	10	1733	14	6	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	-	8
ODESSA	12	3102	49	11	1	-	-	-	-	8	1	1	38
OLIVETTE	12	7988	113	38	-	-	3	9	10	15	1	-	75
OVERLAND	12	19286	797	381	-	1	16	14	41	295	14	-	416
PACIFIC	12	4694	443	76	-	2	1	10	14	47	2	1	367
PARKVILLE	12	2201	181	13	-	-	-	-	2	10	2	-	168
PASADENA HILLS	2	1227	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
PASADENA PARK	1	513	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
PEVELY	12	2759	148	21	-	1	-	2	2	15	1	-	127
PINE LAWN	3	6783	80	31	-	-	1	22	1	7	-	-	49
PLATTSBURG	8	2106	26	12	-	-	-	3	6	3	-	-	14
PLEASANT HILL	12	3409	121	4	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	117
POPLAR BLUFF	1	17167	27	17	-	-	2	1	6	8	-	-	10
POTOSI	12	2560	130	25	-	-	-	15	1	9	-	-	105

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REPUBLIC	12	4801	170	30	-	-	-	-	8	21	1	-	140
RICHMOND	12	5586	153	40	-	-	-	-	12	28	-	-	113
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	12	11436	483	121	-	-	21	12	19	62	6	1	362
RIVERSIDE	11	3400	472	13	-	-	-	1	-	12	-	-	459
RIVERVIEW	9	3314	201	11	-	-	-	2	6	3	-	-	190
ROCK HILL	8	5691	144	22	-	3	-	-	3	15	1	-	122
ROLLA	12	13855	662	90	-	1	6	4	20	57	2	-	592
SAINT ANN	12	15504	1019	426	-	-	9	1	13	398	5	-	593
SAINT GEORGE	12	1568	198	6	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	192
SAINT JOHN	11	8020	239	62	-	-	-	16	18	25	2	1	177
SAINT PETERS	11	18161	675	140	1	1	5	8	34	90	-	1	535
SAINT ROBERT	12	2047	391	15	-	-	-	9	-	6	-	-	376
SAINTE GENEVIEVE	12	4546	121	33	-	1	-	2	7	23	-	-	88
SALEM	12	4567	110	35	-	-	-	11	7	15	2	-	75
SAVANNAH	10	4418	32	16	-	-	1	1	6	7	1	-	16
SEDALIA	12	20597	866	154	-	-	2	9	30	108	5	-	712
SHREWSBURY	2	5152	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
SIKESTON	12	17755	1184	208	1	1	2	13	23	166	2	-	976
SLATER	12	2641	99	18	-	-	-	8	5	5	-	-	81
SMITHVILLE	12	2014	66	40	-	-	1	4	9	20	6	-	26
SUGAR CREEK	12	4381	319	32	-	-	-	8	7	17	-	-	287
SULLIVAN	12	5546	357	26	-	-	2	-	1	22	-	1	331
SUNSET HILLS	12	4441	177	58	-	-	2	4	12	39	1	-	119
TOWN AND COUNTRY	3	3285	88	15	-	-	-	-	2	6	2	5	73
TRENTON	12	6750	105	22	-	-	-	3	9	8	2	-	83
UNIV MO. COLUMBIA	11	0	191	75	-	1	-	1	2	71	-	-	116
UNIV MO. ST LOUIS	9	0	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	5
VALLEY PARK	11	3277	145	19	1	-	1	7	4	5	1	-	126
VANDALIA	12	3042	31	4	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	27
VINITA PARK	3	2199	15	11	-	-	-	5	-	6	-	-	4
WARRENSBURG	12	13078	803	208	-	5	-	3	81	163	3	3	595
WARSON WOODS	12	2198	2	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	0
WASHINGTON	12	9569	251	41	-	1	2	6	10	17	4	1	210
WASHINGTON UNIV.	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
WEBB CITY	12	7561	424	16	-	-	-	3	3	10	-	-	408
WEBSTER GROVES	12	23511	383	133	-	-	9	6	52	55	11	-	250
WELLSTON	11	4409	199	49	1	1	2	3	11	26	5	-	150
WENTZVILLE	12	3707	604	182	-	1	-	5	12	158	6	-	422
WEST PLAINS	12	7718	355	45	2	-	2	2	21	15	1	2	310
WESTON	11	1470	14	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	13
WESTWOOD	10	330	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	0
WINCHESTER	12	1962	50	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	47
WOODSON TERRACE	12	5232	431	31	-	-	7	4	5	12	1	2	400
TOTAL	-	959998	40531	8781	25	63	208	832	1435	5839	333	46	31750

[1] Arrests for suspicion are not included in total.

TABLE 5.0.6

TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED, SUBURBAN COUNTIES

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	TOTAL ARRESTS[1]	TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	ARSON	TOTAL[1] PART II ARRESTS
BOONE	11	37508	246	36	1	1	1	10	9	13	1	-	210
BUCHANAN	11	11383	31	12	-	-	5	-	2	5	-	-	19
CASS	12	28993	360	36	3	2	1	8	11	11	-	-	324
FRANKLIN	12	49097	793	138	4	5	6	8	66	45	2	2	655
GREENE	11	49102	1878	497	22	5	28	49	184	186	11	12	1381
JASPER	11	33226	1028	278	1	1	1	38	101	131	5	-	750
NEWTON	12	29485	386	72	-	1	-	13	29	28	1	-	314
PLATTE	12	25288	328	103	1	3	3	12	38	31	15	-	225
RAY	12	16107	271	74	-	2	-	8	26	26	4	8	197
SAINT CHARLES	11	73663	694	248	3	9	16	28	77	106	3	6	446
TOTAL	-	353852	6015	1494	35	29	61	174	543	582	42	28	4521

[1] Arrests for suspicion are not included in total.

TABLE 5.0.7

TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED, RURAL COUNTIES

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	TOTAL ARRESTS [1]	TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	ARSON	TOTAL PART II ARRESTS [1]
ADAIR	6	7972	164	18	-	-	7	2	5	3	1	-	146
ANDREW	12	10182	38	8	-	-	-	2	3	2	1	-	30
ATCHISON	9	8924	35	11	-	1	-	2	-	7	-	1	24
BARRY	12	20948	351	82	-	5	1	16	25	31	4	-	269
BARTON	12	7344	49	19	-	-	-	2	11	5	-	1	30
BATES	12	10228	346	87	-	-	-	16	35	31	3	2	259
BENTON	7	12309	33	13	1	-	-	-	4	5	1	2	20
BOLLINGER	12	10474	127	33	-	1	-	1	19	8	3	1	94
CALDWELL	11	8562	21	5	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	16
CAMDEN	12	21386	447	96	1	1	4	18	30	36	5	1	351
CAPE GIRARDEAU	12	17404	101	29	-	-	-	7	12	6	4	-	72
CARROLL	10	7389	36	23	-	-	-	-	16	2	5	-	13
CEDAR	12	12280	135	38	-	1	-	5	17	7	8	-	97
CHARITON	10	10614	49	9	-	1	-	1	6	1	-	-	40
COLE	7	24743	517	85	-	1	5	28	19	31	1	-	432
CRAWFORD	1	17718	14	3	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	11
DADE	11	7509	49	7	-	-	-	2	-	2	3	-	42
DALLAS	1	12268	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
DAVIESS	6	8931	20	10	-	-	-	-	3	5	1	-	10
DE KALB	12	7608	48	12	-	-	-	1	5	5	-	1	36
DUNKLIN	9	19998	13	10	-	-	-	2	5	3	-	-	3
GENTRY	1	8058	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
GRUNDY	9	5175	53	19	-	-	-	-	11	8	-	-	34
HARRISON	1	10156	24	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	23
HENRY	12	11249	2	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	0
HOLT	12	6875	55	15	2	-	1	2	6	3	1	-	40
HOWARD	2	7223	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
IRON	12	9480	271	23	-	2	-	1	7	9	3	1	248
JOHNSON	6	25950	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
LACLEDE	12	15330	505	88	-	1	3	8	31	38	6	1	417
LAWRENCE	6	20931	208	37	-	4	-	7	12	12	2	-	171
LEWIS	10	8863	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	0
LINN	1	7070	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
LIVINGSTON	12	6587	226	35	1	1	3	1	11	12	5	1	191
MADISON	9	10934	9	7	1	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	2
MARIES	4	7728	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	8
MARION	12	10262	86	5	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	81
MCDONALD	11	15212	464	103	1	2	-	12	43	40	2	3	361
MONTGOMERY	12	11669	239	68	1	-	3	20	25	15	4	-	171
MORGAN	11	14456	64	22	3	-	-	4	11	2	2	-	42
NODAWAY	12	12667	111	27	2	-	2	2	9	10	1	1	84
OREGON	12	10193	150	28	-	-	-	5	8	9	5	-	122
OSAGE	9	12204	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	0
PEMISCOT	9	25164	113	39	2	3	-	1	21	7	2	3	74
PERRY	12	17109	89	18	-	1	-	3	4	7	1	2	71
PIKE	12	10304	133	30	1	-	-	4	11	12	2	-	103
PULASKI	12	42320	320	64	1	5	-	6	32	14	4	2	256

TOTAL PERSONS ARRESTED, RURAL COUNTIES

BY REPORTING AGENCY

1984

REPORTING AGENCY	MOS.	POPULATION	TOTAL ARRESTS[1]	TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	ARSON	TOTAL[1] PART II ARRESTS
RANDOLPH	1	12394	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
REYNOLDS	12	7267	39	9	2	-	-	-	3	2	1	1	30
RIPLEY	12	12682	52	18	-	-	-	1	9	4	4	-	34
SAINT FRANCOIS	12	26517	556	130	4	1	3	12	41	57	6	6	426
SAINTE GENEVIEVE	9	10887	13	6	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	7
SALINE	12	9590	174	37	2	1	-	8	15	11	-	-	137
SCHUYLER	10	4971	12	4	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	8
SCOTLAND	12	5506	14	10	-	1	-	-	2	3	1	3	4
SCOTT	12	20080	552	130	5	6	8	15	56	26	10	4	422
SHELBY	3	7878	11	4	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	7
STONE	12	10766	313	80	-	-	-	5	46	26	1	2	233
WEBSTER	12	21097	240	52	1	3	1	5	22	16	4	-	188
WORTH	9	3104	6	4	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	2
TOTAL	-	760719	7717	1718	31	43	41	235	668	552	109	39	5999

[1]Arrests for suspicion are not included in total.

TABLE 5.0.8

GLOSSARY

ADULT: A person 18 years of age or older.

ARREST: Taking into physical or other legal custody for committing an offense in the local reporting jurisdiction. Arrests for all criminal offenses are scored. Arrests for ordinance violations are included. Arrests for traffic offenses, with the exception of driving under the influence of intoxicants and arrests in connection with negligent manslaughter in traffic accidents are not scored. Included are those persons arrested but released without being formally charged.

CLEARANCE: The resolution of a criminal offense by the arrest, charging and turning over to the court for prosecution of one or more persons alleged to have committed a crime. An offense can also be cleared by exceptional means when the law enforcement agency has: 1) established the identity of the offender, 2) has enough information to support an arrest, charge and prosecution in court, 3) the exact location of the offender is known so that he/she could be taken into custody and 4) there is some reason outside law enforcement control that precludes arresting, charging and prosecuting the offender, (Ex. offender dies).

CLEARED OFFENSES ONLY JUVENILES: The number of clearances for an offense in which only juveniles were arrested or were identified as the offender but for some valid reason could not be arrested divided by the total number of clearances for that offense expressed as a percentage. The formula is:

$$\frac{\text{Number of Offenses Cleared Involving Only Juveniles}}{\text{Number of Clearances}} \times 100$$

CLEARANCE RATES: The number of clearances divided by the total number of offenses, expressed as a percentage. The formula is:

$$\frac{\text{Number of Clearances}}{\text{Number of Offenses}} \times 100$$

CRIME INDEX: The Crime Index is the sum of the eight major offenses used to indicate the occurrence of crime in the United States. They were selected because of their frequency of occurrence and because they are most likely to be reported to a law enforcement agency. The eight offenses are: murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson. The first four make up the Violent Crime Index and the last four make up the Property Crime Index. Definitions of each of the offenses making up the Crime Index are provided in the section entitled "Missouri Detail Crime Index Analysis". In addition, refer to Crime Offense in this section for an explanation of how each type of offense is reported to the UCR Program.

CRIME OFFENSE: In the UCR Program, the offenses of murder, forcible rape and aggravated assault are crimes against persons. For these crimes, one offense is counted for each victim. Robbery, burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft and arson are crimes against property. For these crimes, with the exception of motor vehicle theft, one offense is counted for each distinct operation. In the case of motor vehicle theft, one offense is counted for each stolen vehicle.

JUVENILE: A person under 18 years of age.

JUVENILE ARREST: Juvenile arrests do not include law enforcement contacts with juveniles where no offense has been committed. Juveniles taken into custody for their own protection, such as in neglect cases, are not scored since they have not committed any crime.

PERCENT CHANGE: The formula is:

$$\frac{\text{Value in Current Period} - \text{Value in Base Period}}{\text{Value in Base Period}} \times 100$$

POPULATION: The total number of persons residing in a jurisdiction based on United States Census data.

QUARTILE: The value that marks the boundary between two consecutive intervals in a frequency distribution of four intervals with each containing one quarter of the total population.

RATE: Rates are indicators of reported crime activity standardized by the population of those agencies reporting the activity. Two (2) types of rates are provided: offense rates and arrest rates.

The offense rate formula is:

$$\frac{\text{Number of Offenses Reported} \times 100{,}000}{\text{Population of Reporting Agency(ies)}}$$

The arrest rate formula is:

$$\frac{\text{Number of Arrests Reported} \times 100{,}000}{\text{Population of Reporting Agency(ies)}}$$

STRONG ARMED ROBBERY: A robbery wherein no weapons were used but tactics (limited to the use of personal weapons such as hands, arms, feet, fists, teeth, etc.) were employed to deprive the victim of his/her property.

TIME SERIES: Time-series analysis was used in the Digest to forecast future crime and arrest activity. With this technique, data for past periods (e.g., years, months) were used as the basis for projecting levels of future activity. Ten years of past data normally were used to make these projections.

In most instances, crime and arrest rates on a per 100,000 population basis were used in making the forecasts. Crime and arrest rates reflect reported crime and arrest activity in relation to the population of the jurisdictions which report the activity. Using rates, rather than actual crime and arrest incidents reported during past periods, helps reduce the problem of both incomplete and non-reporting associated with the data used.

The technique used to project crime and arrest activity was Exponential Smoothing (available through the SAS Econometrics and Time Series software package). Use of this technique took into consideration the limited number of data points in the time series, as well as whether or not the time series were best characterized as constant, linear, or non-linear. In applying the smoothing technique greater weight was given to the more recent data values than to the earlier data values when projecting future levels of activity.